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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14th, 1957

This being the First Day of the Third Session of the Thirteenth Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, for the despatch of business pursuant to a Proclamation of His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor, dated the eighteenth day of December, 1956.

The Clerk of the Assembly read the Proclamation as follows:

PROCLAMATION

[GREAT SEAL]
CANADA
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

JOHN J. BOWLEN, Lieutenant Governor.

ELIZABETH THE SECOND, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom, Canada and Her other Realms and Territories QUEEN, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION

To all to Whom these presents shall come. GREETING.

ERNEST C. MANNING,
Attorney General.

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient for certain causes and considerations to convene the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of Alberta, WE

DO WILL that you and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested on Thursday, the fourteenth day of February, A.D. 1957, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, at our City of Edmonton, personally be and appear for the despatch of business, to treat, act, do and conclude upon those things which,

in the Legislature of our Province of Alberta, by the Common Council of our said Province, may, by the favour of God, be ordained. HEREIN FAIL NOT.

IN TESTIMONY Whereof We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our Province to be hereunto affixed.

WITNESS: The Honourable John James Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor of Our Province of Alberta, in Our City of Edmonton, in Our Province of Alberta, this 18th day of December, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-six, and in the Fifth year of Our Reign.

BY COMMAND:

(Sgd.) A. J. HOOKE, Provincial Secretary.

Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and took the Chair.

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor entered the Assembly and took his seat on the Throne.

His Honour then read the following Speech from the Throne:

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE

MR. SPEAKER AND MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is with pleasure that I welcome you to this Third Session of the Thirteenth Legislature of the Province of Alberta.

During the past year a further deterioration of international relationship has occasioned grave concern. We earnestly pray that the year ahead will witness an easing of world tensions, a strengthening of the ties of our Commonwealth and the establishment of full co-operation and mutual respect among all freedom-loving nations.

Within our own province during this session, my Government will present for your consideration a comprehensive program designed to ensure continued economic development and social progress in the best interests of all our people.

As a measure of practical assistance to Agriculture, you will be asked to appropriate further sums for the continued development of irrigation in southern Alberta in accordance with my Government's agreement with the Government of Canada. Further extensions are proposed to existing departmental services, including those related to farm management and the control of livestock diseases. A new service, known as the Random Sample Test Program, will be inaugurated to assist in the selection of improved strains of poultry.

Legislation will be introduced to establish a Farm Credit Union program under which capital loans will be made available to young farmers for the purchase of agricultural lands.

Funds will be requested to enable the Land and Forest Conservation Committee to proceed with projects for the rehabilitation of lands based on surveys conducted during the past year.

Changing agricultural conditions have necessitated alterations in the procedures required in the establishment of homesteads and to this end amendments to The Public Lands Act will be introduced for your consideration.

To assist in the continued improvement of rural facilities, further funds will be requested for rural electrification through The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act and for a new revolving fund to provide loans to rural Mutual Telephone Companies.

The past year has witnessed the continued orderly development of the oil and gas resources of the province, including projects designed to facilitate marketing, both domestic and export, of the province's huge reserves of natural gas. You will be asked to approve a new Oil and Gas Resources Conservation Act designed to bring up-to-date the statutory provisions governing oil and gas development.

As a practical measure in the preservation of our forest resources, an expanded program of forest protection and fire suppresion will be submitted for your approval.

In the field of Education, my Government proposes to establish a competent body to conduct a comprehensive survey of the various phases of the elementary and secondary school system of the province with particular attention to programs of study and pupil achievement. A study also will be made to determine the feasibility of introducing a uniform scale of salaries for all teachers employed by school districts, divisions and counties. To augment the number of teachers qualified to offer instruction at the high school level, the program of teacher training bursaries will be extended and you will be asked to approve increased appropriations for this purpose.

Measures designed to extend the operation of the school textbook rental plan will be submitted for your approval together with amendments to The School Act and The School Buildings Assistance Act.

You will be asked to approve important additions to my Government's comprehensive Public Health program, including regulations to control the hazards of radiation and also for the control of air pollution.

Legislation will be introduced to provide a further expansion of the province's hospitalization program and to co-ordinate provincial services with the proposed federal hospitalization plan. A project will be instituted for the treatment of emotionally disturbed children and provision will be made to continue the poliomyelitis vaccine program with the objective of having this protection made available to all those under twenty-one years of age by the spring of 1958.

My Government proposes to construct and equip a new cancer clinic in Calgary and to provide an addition to the provincial laboratory at the University of Alberta for the purpose of virus research work.

You also will be asked to make provision for a second school for the training of nursing aides.

In the field of Public Welfare you will be asked to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act and extend its benefits to mothers whose husbands are patients in tuberculosis sanatoria or who have been voluntarily admitted to a mental hospital.

An extensive program of highway and bridge construction is proposed for the ensuing year and you will be asked to approve large appropriations for this purpose. A new appropriation will be requested to initiate a program for the provisions of public camp sites adjacent to main highways.

The tourist industry, which has reflected substantial growth during the past year, will be further encouraged by an active promotional program employing the most effective means to publicize Alberta's many tourist attractions.

The growth of population and high level of business activity imposes heavy demands on the Department of Telephones for expanded communication services which can only be met by a major construction program during the coming fiscal year. You will be asked to authorize the expenditures necessary for this purpose.

Rapid economic development throughout the Province has made necessary a continuous program of construction of new public buildings for which you will be asked to approve sustantial appropriations.

During the past year, comprehensive studies in the field of provincial-municipal relations have been carried on by representatives of municipal councils and my Government. These discussions will be continued throughout the ensuing year with a view to arriving at the best possible division of responsibilities between the two levels of government combined with a just and equitable allocation of aggregate public revenues in a manner that will ensure to each level of government maximum independence in discharging the responsibilities it has assumed. In keeping with this objective, a number of amendments will be introduced during the present session designed to eliminate many of the present restrictions requiring municipal officials to obtain ministerial approval before taking action on matters which properly come within local jurisdiction. The need of greater equalization of assessments has become obvious and to this end legislation will be introduced extending the services of the Assessment Branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs to rural areas on the same basis as they now are provided to towns and villages.

My Government believes it is of the utmost importance in the reorganization of provincial-municipal responsibilities and the allocation of revenues accruing from the development of natural resources that all practical steps be taken to improve the financial position of the individual citizen and thus lessen his dependence on the state for social and economic security.

A full report will be given to the Legislature on the progress to date of discussions relating to metropolitan development and legislation will be introduced to constitute a regulatory body to supervise the orderly expansion and development of metropolitan areas.

It is proposed to eliminate certain categories of taxes being paid under The Amusements Act.

The Government of Canada proposes to vacate the field of taxation on insurance premiums which was rented to the federal government by the province under the Tax Rental Agreements of the past fourteen years. All other provincies have indicated their intention to re-enter this field and as the operation of most insurance companies is on a national basis, my Government considers that similar action should be taken in this province and appropriate legislation to this end will be introduced for your consideration.

A new Tax Rental Agreement is being negotiated with the Government of Canada to replace the existing agreement which expires on March 31st of this year.

Amendments to The Alberta Insurance Act will be introduced dealing principally with uniformity of control over contracts of fire insurance and of accident and sickness insurance. This legislation will be in line with that now being enacted in other provinces and will provide for a modernization and simplification of contracts forms.

The Alberta Municipal Finance Corporation, established under legislation passed by this Assembly last year, has been constituted and will commence operations during the ensuing fiscal year.

It is proposed to amend The Land Titles Act to permit claims for damages against the Assurance Fund under a new formula in cases where mineral rights have been lost through errors or omissions in the Land Titles register.

A revision and consolidation of The Alberta Labour Act will be submitted for your approval including an amendment to provide equal pay for equal work.

The printing of the Revised Statutes will be completed during the ensuing year and will be proclaimed in force under the provisions of The Revised Statutes 1955 Act.

In keeping with the requirements of the new Election Act passed at the last session of this Legislature, amendments to The Legislative Assembly Act will be submitted for your consideration, providing for changes in the representation in the Legislature of the cities of Calgary and Edmonton.

Having regard to present trends in economic development, my Government plans to establish a Northern Development Commission to make a complete and thorough study of conditions and particular requirements of the northern areas of the province in relation to present and potential development.

The special committee appointed at the last session to recommend amendments to The Liquor Control Act will submit its report and recommendations during the present session.

The Public Accounts for the last fiscal year together with the Estimates for the ensuing year will be presented for your most careful consideration.

I leave you now to the business of this session in confidence that you will discharge your duties and responsibilities in the best interests of all our people. I pray that Divine Providence will guide and bless your deliberations.

His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the Assembly.

Ordered, That the Honourable Mr. Manning have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Juvenile Court Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time tomorrow (Friday).

Mr. Speaker informed the Assembly that in order to prevent mistakes he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, which was laid on the table.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the following certificate which had been delivered to him by the Clerk of the Executive Council:

TO THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA:

This is to certify that by virtue of a Writ of Election, dated the Fifth day of October, 1956, issued by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor and addressed to Thomas Milton Robinson of Stettler as Returning Officer for the Electorial Division of Stettler for the election of a Member to represent the said Electoral Division in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta in the room of John Etter Clark, by reason of whose death, since his election as representative of the said Electoral Division of Stettler, the seat has become vacant:

Galen C. Norris has been returned as duly elected to represent the said Electoral Division, as appears by the Return to the said Writ of Election which is now lodged of record in my office.

(Sgd.) R. CREVOLIN, Clerk of the Executive Council.

Edmonton, February 7th, 1957.

On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Taylor, seconded by the Honourable Dr. Cross:

Ordered, That the Speech of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor to this Assembly be taken into consideration tomorrow (Friday).

On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Aalborg, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Jorgenson:

Ordered, That the Votes and Proceedings of the Assembly be printed, having first been perused by Mr. Speaker, and that he do appoint the printing thereof, and that no person but such as he shall appoint do presume to print the same.

On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Colborne, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Hartley:

Ordered, That the Standing Committees of this Assembly for the present Session be appointed for the following purposes:

- 1. On Privileges and Elections.
- 2. On Public Accounts.
- 3. On Railways, Telephones and Irrigation.
- 4. On Agriculture, Colonization, Immigration and Education.
- 5. On Municipal Law.
- 6. On Law Amendments.
- 7. On Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing.

Which said Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and enquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the Assembly, and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon with power to send for persons, papers and records.

On the motion of the Honourable Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Honourable Mr. Hooke:

Ordered, That a Special Committee be appointed, consisting of nine Members, to report with all convenient speed lists of Members to Select Standing Committees ordered by this Assembly, to be composed as follows:

Hon. Mr. Aalborg

Hon. Mr. Colborne

Messieurs: Gerhart (Chairman)

Strom

McLaughlin, I.

Prowse

MacDonald

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Ruzycki

The Assembly adjourned at 3:25 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Galen C. Norris, Member for the Electoral Division of Stettler, having previously taken the oath and subscribed to the roll, was introduced to Mr. Speaker by the Hon. Mr. Manning and the Hon. Dr. Cross, and took his seat. Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Manning:

That the Members of this Assembly, having heard with sorrow of the passing of Mrs. Whitson, mother of Mr. Russell Whitson, Member of the Assembly for Vermilion, do express to Mr. Whitson and his family our sincere sympathy in their bereavement.

The motion was carried unanimously and one minute of silence was observed.

The Honourable Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Alberta Liquor Control Board. (Sessional Paper No. 1)

Anual Report of the Governors of the University of Alberta, 1955-56. (Sessional Paper No. 6)

Annual Report of the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 4)

Annual Report of the Workmen's Compensation Board for the Year Ended December 31, 1955. (Sessional Paper No. 7)

Orders-in-Council, Rules and Regulations under the Succession Duty Act. (Sessional Paper No. 11)

Tariff of Fees under The Seizures Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 12)

Regulations and Orders under The Mines and Minerals Act. (Part Sessional Paper No. 31)

Regulations under The Coal Mines Regulation Act, 1955. (Sessional Paper No. 32)

Regulations and Orders under The Gas Resources Preservation Act, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 34)

Mr. Speaker laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Library for the year 1956-1957.

(Sessional Paper No. 30)

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 12 An Act to amend The Coroners Act (Hon. Mr. Manning).
- Bill No. 15 An Act to amend The Gas Protection Act (Hon. Mr. Reierson).
- Bill No. 17 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Act (Hon. Mr. Reierson).
- Bill No. 18 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act (Hon. Mr. Reierson).

- Bill No. 20 An Act to amend The Department of Education Act (Hon. Mr. Aalborg).
- Bill No. 21. An Act to amend The Department of Industries and Labour Act (Hon. Mr. Reierson).
- Bill No. 22 An Act of Consent respecting the adoption of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary as surveyed by the Canadian Department of the Interior in 1924 and 1925 and by the Alberta-Northwest Territories Boundary Commission between 1950 and 1954 (Hon. Mr. Willmore).
- Bill No. 23 An Act to amend The Seizures Act (Hon. Mr. Manning).
- Bill No. 27 An Act to amend The Metis Betterment Act (Hon. Mr. Jorgenson).
- Bill No. 31 An Act to amend The Alberta Livestock and Livestock Products Act (Hon. Mr. Halmrast).
- Bill No. 32 An Act to amend The Names of Homes Act (Hon. Mr. Halmrast).
- Bill No. 34 An Act to amend The Local Tax Arrears Consolidation Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke).
- Bill No. 38 An Act to amend The Revised Statutes 1955 Act (Hon. Mr. Manning).
- Bill No. 42 An Act to amend The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke).
- Bill No. 43 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act (Hon. Mr. Reierson).

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable Lieutenant Governor of Alberta, as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta;

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present Session."

A debate followed.

Mr. Prowse moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 3:40 p.m. to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Department of Lands and Forests for the year Ended March 31st, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 25.)

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Eastern Rockies Forest Conservation Board for the Fiscal Year 1955-'56. (Sessional Paper No. 63.)

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Mines Division of the Department of Mines and Minerals for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 33.)

The Order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Assembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your

Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Manning moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:35 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Gerhart from the Select Committee appointed to prepare and report lists of the Members to compose the Standing Committees of the Assembly reported as follows:

ON AGRICULTURE, COLONIZATION, IMMIGRATION AND EDUCATION

61 Members

Hon. Mr. Aalborg Hon. Mr. Hartley Hon. Mr. Patrick Hon. Mr. Colborne Hon. Mr. Hinman Hon. Mr. Reierson Hon. Dr. Cross Hon. Mr. Hooke Hon. Mr. Taylor Hon. Mr. Dawson Hon. Mr. Jorgenson Hon. Mr. Willmore Hon. Mr. Halmanst Hon. Mr. Manning

Hon. Mr. Halmrast Hon. Mr. Manning

Messieurs Hillman Messieurs Prowse (Chairman) Robinson (Mrs.)

Anslev Ross, Dr. Baker Ruste Bell Ruzycki Desfosses Sayers Dixon Hardy Dushenski Johnston Ellis Josvanger Fimrite Kirby Gainer Kovach Gerhart Landeryou Gilliland Lee

Hall MacDonald MacEwan Norris McLaughlin, I. Owens McLaughlin, J. H. Page Maccagno

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Smith Wilkinson (Mrs.)

Soetaert Wingblade

ON LAW AMENDMENTS

26 Members

Hon. Dr. Cross Hon. Mr. Taylor Hon. Mr. Manning

Messieurs Norris Messieurs Lee

(Chairman) Maccagno
Ansley MacDonald
Dixon Mills
Fimrite Owens

Gainer Robinson (Mrs.)
Gilliland Ruste

Hardy Ruzycki
Hillman Stringam
Johnston Miller
Josvanger Strom

Kirby Landeryou

ON MUNICIPAL LAW

39 Members

Hon. Mr. Colborne Hon. Dr. Cross
Hon. Mr. Hinman Hon. Mr. Hooke Hon. Mr. Halmrast
Hon. Mr. Manning

Messieurs MacEwan Messieurs Hardy McLaughlin, J H. (Chairman) Macyk Ansley Miller Baker Niddrie Bell Norris Dixon Dushenski Owens Prowse Ellis Robinson (Mrs.) Fimrite Gerhart Ruste Sims Hall Smith Hillman Stringam Johnston Tanner Kirby Whitson Kovach Wilkinson (Mrs.) Landeryou

ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS

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40 Members

Hon. Mr. Halmrast Hon. Mr. Aalborg Hon. Mr. Taylor Hon. Mr. Hooke Hon. Dr. Cross Hon. Mr. Hartley Hon. Mr. Manning Hon. Mr. Hinman Messieurs Gerhart Messieurs Macyk McLaughlin, I. (Chairman) Maccagno Ansley Miller Baker Mills Dixon Norris Dushenski Page Ellis Prowse Gainer Robinson (Mrs.) Gilliland Ross (Dr.) Hardy Sayers Hillman Sims Johnston Soetaert Kirby Strom Kovach Whitson Landeryou

ON PRIVATE BILLS, STANDING ORDERS AND PRINTING

28 Members

Hon. Mr. Colborne
Hon. Mr. Hooke
Hon. Mr. Patrick
Hon. Mr. Taylor
Messieurs Ross (Dr.)
Messieurs MacDonald

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(Chairman) MacEwan
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Gerhart Sayers
Gilliland Smith
Hall Tanner
Hardy Wilkinson (Mrs.)
Johnston Wingblade
Josyanger

ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS 25 Members

Hon. Mr. Reierson Hon. Mr. Halmrast Hon. Mr. Manning Messieurs McLaughlin, I. Messieurs Desfosses (Chairman) Dushenski Bell Gilliland MacDonald Lee Miller Sayers Niddrie Smith Norris Soetaert Owens Stringam Page Strom Prowse Tanner Robinson (Mrs.) Wilkinson (Mrs.) Ross (Dr.)

ON RAILWAYS, TELEPHONES AND IRRIGATION 61 Members

Hon. Mr. Aalborg
Hon. Mr. Jorgenson
Hon. Mr. Dawson
Hon. Mr. Reierson
Hon. Mr. Halmrast
Hon. Mr. Hinman
Hon. Mr. Colborne
Hon. Mr. Hon. Mr. Manning
Hon. Mr. Hartley
Hon. Mr. Hooke
Hon. Mr. Willmore

Messieurs McLaughlin, J. H. Messieurs Hillman (Chairman) Maccagno Macvk Anslev Baker Miller Bell Mills Desfosses Niddrie Dixon Norris Dushenski Owens Ellis Page Fimrite Prowse Gainer Robinson (Mrs.) Gerhart Ross (Dr.) Gilliland Ruste Hall Ruzycki Hardy Sayers Johnston Stringam Josvanger Smith Kirby Soetaert

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MacDonald Whitson
MacEwan Wilkinson (Mrs.)
McLaughlin, I. Wingblade

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 35 An Act to Repeal The Industries Assessment Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

Mr. Gerhart, Chairman of the Special Legislative Committee appointed for the purpose of reviewing the provisions of The Liquor Control Act and recommending amendments thereto, presented the report of the Committee to the Assembly.

(Sessional Paper No. 62)

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council. by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Orders in Council under The Department of Lands and Forests Act for the year 1956.

(Part Sessional Paper No. 25)

Orders in Council under The Forests Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 27)

Orders in Council under The Forests Reserves Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 28)

Orders in Council under The Provincial Parks Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 29)

Orders in Council under The Public Lands Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 26)

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Statement of Guarantees Given Pursuant to the Frozen Food Locker Act for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 54)

Statement of Guarantees Given Pursuant to the Local Authorities Borrowings Guarantee Act Between the Period January 1, 1955 and December 31, 1955.

(Sessional Paper No. 50)

Statement of Guarantees Given Pursuant to the Provincial Loans Act, Between the Period January 1, 1955 and December 31, 1955.

(Sessional Paper No. 58)

Statement of Guarantees Pursuant to the Provincial Industries Development Act for the Fiscal Year Ending March 31, 1955. (Sessional Paper No. 53)

Annual Report under the Alberta Co-operative Rural Credit Act. (Sessional Paper No. 59)

Statement of Guarantees Given Pursuant to the Co-operative Marketing Associations Guarantee Act for the Fiscal Year Ended March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 52)

Report of Loans under The Self-Liquidating Projects Act, December 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 60)

Report of Loans under The Municipal Loans Revolving Fund, December 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 61)

Report of Loans under The Treasury Department Act, March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 56)

Report under The Deferred Charges Act, March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 57)

Report of Loans under The Provincial Loans Act, March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 48)

Statement of Remissions and Writings Off under The Treasury Department Act, The Fines and Penalties Act, The Domestic Relations Act, and The Tax Consolidation Act.

(Sessional Paper No. 47)

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Hall:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

That the Government table a copy of the Delahey Report on Forestry in Alberta, submitted to the Government in 1950.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. MacEwan on February 19, 1957, respecting the Delahey Report on Forestry in Alberta, submitted to the Government in 1950.

(Sessional Paper No. 64)

Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

All correspondence, reports and other relevant information concerning irregularities and inefficiencies in the office or department of the Queen's Printer.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Niddrie, seconded by Mr. Owens:

Whereas Section 12 of the Indian Act, being chapter 149 of the Statutes of Canada, 1952, causes hardship and many inequities with respect to Indians living on Indian Reservations in the Province of Alberta;

Therefor be is resolved that this Assembly urge the Parliament of Canada to repeal section 12 of the Indian Act.

A debate followed.

Mr. MacEwan moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. MacDonald;

That the motion be amended by striking out the word "repeal" and by substituting therefor the word "amend" and by adding at the end of the motion the words, "to make it conform with the best interests of the Indians."

The debate continued.

Mr. Sayers moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Maccagno, seconded by Mr. Hall:

Whereas the present Air Ambulance service in Alberta is found unsatisfactory;

Be it resolved that the Government of Alberta give study and consideration for an adequate Air Ambulance for the cause with a view of making it available as soon as possible.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Ruzycki

McLaughlin, J. H.

Hall

Prowse

Desfosses

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Smith

Whitson

Maccagno

MacDonald

Soetaert

Sims

Stringam

Macyk

MacEwan

Josvanger

Against the motion:

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast

Colborne

Hartley

Hinman

Manning

Aalborg

Mainorg

Willmore

Patrick

Jorgenson

Reierson

Cross (Dr.)

Dixon

Rell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Wilkinson (Mrs.)

Hardy

Baker

Fimrite

Robinson (Mrs.)

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Ross (Dr.)
Sayers
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Wingblade
Gerhart
Lee
Hillman
Strom
Owens
Ruste
Norris
Ansley

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The motion was therefore declared lost.

Moved by Mr. MacDonald, seconded by Mr. MacEwan:

That the Government be requested to give consideration to providing in the year 1957 for permanent University facilities in the City of Calgary.

A debate followed.

Mr. Dixon moved adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 62 An Act to amend The University Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

The Order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Assembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

Mr. Page moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1957

Mr. Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Prowse on February 19th, 1957, respecting irregularities in the office of the Queen's Printer.

(Sessional Paper No. 65)

The Hon. Mr. Patrick, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly Annual Report of the Department of Economic Affairs for the year 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 13)

Moved by Mr. Maccagno, seconded by Mr. Sims:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The agreement re the Transfer of the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway (Now the Northern Alberta Railways) between Dunvegan and Waterways from the Province of Alberta to the Canadian National Railways.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Macyk, seconded by Mr. Soetaert:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. Total Contingency Grant expended in 1956 by Highways Department.
- 2. Amounts allocated to and expended in each.
 - (a) County.
 - (b) Municipal District.
 - (c) Local Improvement District.
 - (d) Special Area.
- 3. Should an allocation and expenditure have been applied to two or more units, as one project show this as applying to the combined units.
- 4. How many miles constructed by end of 1956.
- 5. How many miles gravelled by end of 1956.

The motion was agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. Niddrie, seconded by Mr. Owens:

Whereas section 12 of the Indian Act, being chapter 149 of the Statutes of Canada, 1952, causes hardship and many inequities with respect to Indians living on Indian Reservations in the Province of Alberta;

Therefore be it resolved that this Assembly urge the Parliament of Canada to repeal section 12 of the Indian Act.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That the motion be amended by striking out the word "repeal" and by substituting therefor the word, "amend" and by adding at the end of the motion the words, "to make it comform with the best interests of the Indians."

Mr. Sayers moved that the debate stand adjourned.

The motion was agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. MacDonald, seconded by Mr. MacEwan:

That the Government be requested to give consideration to providing in the year 1957 for permanent University facilities in the City of Calgary.

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Colborne:

That the motion be amended by striking out the words "in the year 1957" and by adding the words "before 1960" at the end of the motion.

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amendment carried.

The motion as amended being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion as amended carried.

Moved by Mr. Ruzycki, seconded by Mr. Dushenski:

Whereas, the present motor vehicle insurance scheme in Alberta is compulsory, and

Whereas, motor vehicle owners have no alternative in obeying the compulsion except by insuring with a private company at an exhorbitant high rate of premium, and

Whereas, the regulations requiring the showing of a pink slip in case of accident, causes hardship to motor vehicle owners who come into Alberta from other provinces, and especially to tourists from the United States who may be involved in highway accidents in Alberta.

Therefore be it resolved that the Assembly request the Government to give consideration to an enactment of legislation that will provide a government motor vehicle insurance scheme at cost to the motor vehicle owners of our province.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion lost.

Mr. Dushenski moved, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki:

Whereas new and expanded needs have caused new and expanded demands upon the financial resources of the municipal governments, and

Whereas municipal governments have been delegated large responsibilities against which wholly inadequate financial resources have been available, and

Whereas taxation on farm lands and properties has now become an almost insupportable burden,

Therefore be it resolved that the Government consider the calling of a Provincial-local Government conference at the earliest possible moment, and that such conference be made up of official delegates from the Provincial Government, the Alberta Association of Rural Municipalities, The Alberta Urban Municipal Association, The Alberta Trustee Association and others whom the Government may consider to be concerned with the problems of local government, and

It is further urged that this Assembly give no consideration to changes in provincial-municipal financing until such a conference has made known its recommendations in respect to this issue.

A debate followed.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Whitson, seconded by Mr. Macyk:

Whereas calfhood vaccination for Brucillosis has proven benefical to both cattle producers and public health and

Whereas there are more areas undertaking compulsory calfhood vaccination and

Whereas Tuberculin testing is recognized as a public service,

Therefore be it resolved that the Provincial Government give favourable consideration to absorb the vaccination cost.

A debate followed.

Mr. Macyk moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:25 p.m., to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 28 An Act to amend The Town and Village Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 40 An Act to amend The Teachers' Retirement Fund Act. (Hon. Mr. Aalborg.)
- Bill No. 46 An Act to amend The Public Trustee Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 51 An Act to amend The Frozen Food Locker Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)
- Bill No. 66 An Act to amend The Drainage Districts Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly, asked for by Mr. Maccagno on February 21st, 1957, respecting Transfer of Alberta and Great Waterways Railway.

(Sessional Paper No. 66)

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 9)

Report of the Surplus Wheat Board Monies Trust Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 10)

The Order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Asembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To HIS HONOUR THE HONOURABLE JOHN JAMES BOWLEN, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:15 p.m., to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 53 An Act to amend The Public Welfare Act. (Hon. Mr. Jorgenson.)

The Honourable Mr. Hartley, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour, the Hourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Department of Public Works for the year 1955-56.

(Sessional Paper No. 45)

The Honourable Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour, the Honourable the Licutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Department of Municipal Affairs for the year 1955. (Sessional Paper No. 35)

Annual Report under The Special Areas Act. (Sessional Paper No. 36, incorporated with S.P. 35)

Annual Report under The Town and Rural Planning Act, 1953. (Sessional Paper No. 37, incorporated with S.P. No. 35)

The Order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Assembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Monday, February 25, 1957 8:00 o'clock p.m.

The debate on the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to the Assembly continued.

Mr. Niddrie moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:45 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Moved by Mr. Macyk, seconded by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin:

to make the Disabled Persons Act (Canada) apply to all persons who are disabled, to the extent that they are unable to undertake remunerative employment, and

Be it further resolved that the maximum allowable income for the purpose of the Disabled Persons Act be increased to those approved by the Blind Persons Act, the recipients of which are in a somewhat similar category, so that the disabled may be encouraged to take advantage of the rehabilitation program for disabled persons that is now in effect.

A debate followed.

Mr. MacDonald moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Josvanger:

That all words after the word "that" in the first line of the Resolution be struck out and the following words be substituted therefor:

"the Government of this Province be requested to give consideration to the payment of supplementary allowances to persons entitled to disabled pensions from the Province of Alberta and further that an economic study be made to ascertain whether the impact of taxation required to increase the benefits which the Government of this Province considers it

advisable to pay to disabled persons will be greater on the Province if such benefits are paid by the Province alone or if such benefits are given on a Canada wide basis and paid through federal taxation."

The debate continued.

Mr. Josvanger moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 12 An Act to amend The Coroners Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 15 An Act to amend The Gas Protection Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)
- Bill No. 17 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)
- Bill No. 18 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)
- Bill No. 19 An Act to amend The Juvenile Court Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 20 An Act to amend The Department of Education Act. (Hon. Mr. Aalborg.)
- Bill No. 21 An Act to amend The Department of Industries and Labour Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)

- Bill No. 22 An Act of Consent respecting the adoption of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary as surveyed by the Canadian Department of the Interior in 1924 and 1925 and by the Alberta Northwest Territories Boundary Commission between 1950 and 1954. (Hon. Mr. Willmore.)
- Bill No. 23 An Act to amend The Seizures Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 27 An Act to amend The Metis Betterment Act. (Hon. Mr. Jorgenson.)
- Bill No. 28 An Act to amend The Town and Village Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 31 An Act to amend The Alberta Livestock and Livestock Products Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)
- Bill No. 32 An Act to amend The Names of Homes Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)
- Bill No. 34 An Act to amend The Local Tax Arrears Consolidation Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 35 An Act to repeal The Industries Assessment Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 38 An Act to amend The Revised Statutes 1955 Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 40 An Act to amend The Teachers' Retirement Fund Act. (Hon. Mr. Aalborg.)
- Bill No. 42 An Act to amend The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 43 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)
- Bill No. 46 An Act to amend The Public Trustee Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning.)
- Bill No. 51 An Act to amend The Frozen Food Locker Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)
- Bill No. 53 An Act to amend The Public Welfare Act. (Hon. Mr. Jorgenson.)
- Bill No. 62—An Act to amend The University Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

Bill No. 66 An Act to amend The Drainage Districts Act. (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Tuesday, February 26th, 1957. 8 o'clock p.m.

The Order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Assembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

Mr. MacDonald moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 9:25 p.m., to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 27th, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. Sayers, for The Alberta Wheat Pool for an Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.

By Mr. Sayers for Mr. Lee, for Messrs. David J. Pankratz, Jacob P. Dueck, Jacob Peter Dueck, Peter Regier and Jacob B. Janz for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches.

By Mr. Smith, for the Calgary Golf and Country Club for an Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act.

By Mr. Hardy for Mrs. Wilkinson, for the Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited for an Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-Laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and The Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte.

By Mr. Baker, for the Northwestern Utilities Limited for an Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the Bylaws Authorizing the Same Between Northwestern Utilities Limited and The Towns of Edson, Mundare and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood.

By Mr. H. J. MacDonald, for the Merchants and Traders Assurance Company for an Act to amend the Act Incorporating Merchants and Traders Assurance Company.

By Mr. Sayers for Mr. Lee, for Messrs. William Pauls, Peter Schellenberg and Peter A. Unger for an Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the Site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta.

By Mr. Gerhart, for Messrs. Robert W. Chapman, Johnstone A. Weber, C. Pryor Logan, Frederick G. Gathercole and Benjamin C. Finch for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta-Canadian Insurance Company.

By Mr. Dixon, for The Canadian Pacific Railway Company for an Act Respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies.

By Mr. Hardy for Mrs. Wilkinson, for The Sisters of Charity of St. Louis for an Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary.

By Mr. Hardy for Mrs. Wilkinson, for La Corporation Archiepiscopale Catholique d'Edmonton (The Catholic Archiepiscopal Corporation of Edmonton) for an Art to Incorporate the Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

By Mr. Hardy for Mrs. Wilkinson, for Sister Marie de Ste. Eulalie de Merida, Sister Marie de Ste. Constance and Sister Marie de St. Edouard Martyr, for an Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs (The Corporation of the Sisters of the Holy Cross of the Seven Sorrows).

By Mr. Hardy for Mrs. Wilkinson, for Sister Marie Berthe Dorais, Sister Eva Morissette, Sister Anglina Letarte, Sister Leonie Ferland and Sister Annette Desilets for an Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta.

By Mr. Dixon, for Messrs. Wilbert Lawrence Falconer, Leslie Clarence Percy Lear, Everett Miller Bills, James A. Charlesworth, Norman Lang Chapman and Lucien Maynard for an Act to Incorporate the Horsemen's Jockey Club. By Mr. Gerhart, for Messrs. Harry Graves Curlett, William Edward Broderick and William Boyce for an Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Ltd.

By Mr. Hardy, for The Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League for an Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, of the British Empire Service League.

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Orders or Regulations passed during the year 1956 under The Surveys Act. (Sessional Paper No. 17)

New Orders under The Pipe Line Act for the year 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 18)

The order of the Day being read for the Further Consideration of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to this Assembly:

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

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The debate continued.

Mr. MacDonald moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Soetaert:

That the following words be added to the said address:

We respectfully submit to Your Honour that we regret that the spech has promised for the ensuing year only a continuation of talking about Provincial-Municipal relations and that the speech has failed to indicate that any action will be proposed to correct the present inequitable division of responsibilities between the Provincial and local Governments.

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Maccagno MacEwan Prowse Tanner Hall Messieurs McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk
Whitson
Desfosses
MacDonald
Josvanger
Soetaert
Mills

Sims

Gainer

Against the amendment:

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalborg Willmore Patrick Jorgenson

Reierson Dixon Bell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy Baker Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Niddrie Johnston Sayers Kovach Wingblade Gerhart Hillman Strom Owens

Norris Dushenski Miller Ruzveki

Ruste

Ruzycki Page Kirby Smith Ansley

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The amendment was therefor declared lost.

The debate continued.

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Mr. Mills moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday, at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28th, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The following petitions were read and received:

By Mr. Sayers, for The Alberta Wheat Pool for an Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.

By Mr. Lee, for Messrs. David J. Pankratz, Jacob P. Dueck, Jacob Peter Dueck, Peter Regier and Jacob B. Janz for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches.

By Mr. Smith, for the Calgary Golf and Country Club for an Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act.

By Mrs. Wilkinson, for the Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited for an Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-Laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and The Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte.

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By Mr. Gerhart, for Messrs. Robert W. Chapman, Johnstone A. Weber, C. Pryor Logan, Frederick G. Gathercole and Benjamin C. Finch for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta-Canadian Insurance Company.

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By Mrs. Wilkinson, for La Corporation Archiepiscopale Catholique d'Edmonton (The Catholic Archiepiscopal Corporation of Edmonton) for an Act to Incorporate the Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

By Mrs. Wilkinson, for Sister Marie de Ste. Eulalie de Merida, Sister Marie de Ste. Constance and Sister Marie de St. Edouard Martyr, for an Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs (The Corporation of the Sisters of the Holy Cross of the Seven Sorrows).

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By Mr. Gerhart, for Messrs. Harry Graves Curlett, William Edward Broderick and William Boyce for an Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Ltd.

By Mr. Hardy, for The Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League for an Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion, of the British Empire Service League.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 41 An Act to amend The County Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 52 An Act to amend The Marketing of Agricultural Products Act (Hon. Mr. Halmrast.)
- Bill No. 60 An Act to amend the Public Service Vehicles Act (Hon. Mr. Taylor.)
- Bill No. 61 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Registered Dietitians Association (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Department of Highways for the year 1955-56. (Sessional Paper No. 15)

Statement of Certificates and Permits issued by The Highway Traffic Board under the Public Service Vehicles Act for the year 1955-1956. (Sessional Paper No. 16)

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table of the Assembly Annual Report of the Alberta Government Telephones for the year 1955-1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 46)

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly Annual Report of The Department of Public Health for the year 1955 including Annual Report of the Bureau of Vital Statistics.

(Sessional Paper No. 39)

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Memeber of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the University Hospital for the year 1955-1956. (Sessional Paper No. 40)

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Department of Public Welfare for the year 1955-1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 41)

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Provincial Auditor's Report and Accounts of the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for the nine months ended December 31, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 49)

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

That the Government table the liquor report which it received in 1954, of which Mr. Maynard was a member.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Dushenski

Ruzycki

MacEwan

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Kirby

Smith

Ansley

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McLaughlin, J. H.

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Desfosses

Ellis

Messieurs Stringam

MacDonald Josvanger Soetaert Mills

Sims

Gainer

Against the motion:

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast

Hooke Hartley

Colborne

Manning

Aalborg

Patrick

Jorgenson

Reierson

Cross

Dixon

Bell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Hardy

Wilkinson, Mrs.

Baker

Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross

Niddrie

Johnston

Sayers

Kovach

Landeryou

Wingblade

Gerhart

Lee

Hillman

Ruste

Owens

Norris

The motion was therefor declared lost.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued Debate on the following motion:

Moved by Dr. Ross, seconded by Mr. Hillman.

Whereas the Province of Alberta, during the 1953 Session of this Legislature, enacted legislation providing pensions for disabled persons who are residents of the Province; and

Whereas, on 26th June, 1954, the Parliament of Canada passed an Act entitled the Disabled Persons Act that provided for the payment of allowances to residents of Canada who were totally and permanently disabled; and

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Whereas the definition of totally and permanently disabled persons is provided by regulations. It is the opinion of this assemby that the definition of "totally and permanently" disabled persons is far too rigid to permit of the granting of an allowance to many needy persons whom this statute is undoubtedly intended to assist;

Therefore be it resolved that this Assembly petition the Government of Canada to take such action as may be necessary to make the Disabled Persons Act (Canada) apply to all persons who are disabled, to the extent that they are unable to undertake remunerative employment, and

Be it further resolved that the maximum allowable income for the purpose of the Disabled Persons Act be increased to those approved by the Blind Persons Act, the recipients of which are in a somewhat similar category, so that the disabled may be encouraged to take advantage of the rehabilitation program for disabled persons, that is now in effect.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. MacDonald, seconded by Mr. Josvanger:

That all words after the word "that" in the first line of the Resolution be struck out and the following words substituted therefor:

"the Government of this Province be requested to give consideration to the payment of supplementary allowances to persons entitled to disabled pensions from the Province of Alberta and further that an economic study be made to ascertain whether the impact of taxation required to increase the benefits which the Government of this Province considers it advisable to pay to disabled persons will be greater on the Province if such benefits are paid by the Province alone or if such benefits are given on a Canada wide basis and paid through federal taxation."

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Ruzycki

Maccagno MacEwan

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Hall

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk

Whitson

Desfosses

MacDonald

Josvanger

Soetaert

Mills

Sims

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Against the amendment:

Messieurs Taylor

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Colborne

Hartley

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Manning

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Cross, Dr.

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McLaughlin, I.

Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy

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Robinson, Mrs.

Ross, Dr.

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Kirby

Smith

The amendment was therefor declared lost.

The debate continued.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows

For the motion

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast

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Against the motion

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The motion was therefor declared carried.

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Macyk:

That whereas there is a new interest in crop insurance in the Province of Alberta, and

Whereas two neighbouring provinces have recorded their willingness to study co-operatively a crop insurance plan on an experimental basis.

Be it resolved that the Government of Alberta be requested to declare its willingness to co-operate with the other mid-western Governments in considering the practicability of joint action in introducing crop insurance on a test basis.

A debate followed.

Mr. Macyk moved the adjournment of the debate.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion lost.

The debate continued.

Mr. Sayers moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Hillman:

That all the words after the words "crop insurance" in the third line be struck out and the following substituted therefor:

"and that the Federal Department of Agriculture be requested to participate in this study and assist the mid-western provinces in formulating a test plan".

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amendment carried.

The motion as amended being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion as amended carried.

Ordered, that the Assembly revert to Order of Business; further consideration of his Honour the Lieutenant Governor's speech.

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

Mr. Kirby moved the adjournment of the Debate which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:45 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, MARCH 1st, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Department of Mines and Minerals for the fiscal year 1956.

(Part Sessional Paper No. 31)

Moved by Mr. Dixon, seconded by Mr. Norris:

That an humble address be presented to His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta as follows:

"To His Honour the Honourable John James Bowlen, "Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta:

"We, Her Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects, the Legislative Assembly, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious speech Your Honour has been pleased to address to us at the opening of the present session."

The debate continued.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by the Hon. Dr. Cross:

That the Address be engrossed and presented to His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of this Assembly as are Members of the Executive Council.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, the Public Accounts of the Province of Alberta for the year ended March 31, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 55)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That the Public Accounts of the Province, together with all matters connected therewith, be referred to the Public Accounts Committee.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That the Assembly do resolve itself into Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast:

That this Assembly do resolve itself into Committee to consider of the Ways and Means of raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The motion was agreed to.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Friday, March 1st, 1957. 8:00 p.m.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, signed by His Honour, John James Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor:

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ending March 31, 1958 and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly".

Edmonton, Alberta, March 1, 1957.

Mr. Speaker read the message to the Assembly (the Members standing and being uncovered).

Ordered, That the Message of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, with the estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, signed by His Honour, John James Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor:

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ended March 31, 1956, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly."

Edmonton, Alberta, March 1st, 1957.

Mr. Speaker read the message to the Assembly (The Members standing and being uncovered).

Ordered, That the message of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, with the estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a message from His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, signed by His Honour, John James Bowlen, Lieutenant Governor:

"The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the twelve months ended March 31, 1957, and recommends the same to the Legislative Assembly."

Mr. Speaker read the message to the Assembly (the members standing and being uncovered).

Ordered, That the message of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, with the estimates, be referred to the Committee of Supply.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

A debate followed.

Mr. Prowse moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 9:40 p.m., to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, MARCH 4th, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Dr. Ross, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, presented the following report:

That with respect to the Petition of The Alberta Wheat Pool, for an Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.

That with respect to the Petition of David J. Pankratz, Jacob P. Dueck, Jacob Peter Dueck, Peter Peter Regier and Jacob B. Janz, for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethern Churches.

That with respect to the Petition of The Calgary Golf and Country Club, for an Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act.

That with respect to the Petition of Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Ltd., for an Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and The Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte.

That with respect to the Petition of Northwestern Utilities Limited, for an Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Northwestern Utilities Limited and The Towns of Edson, Mundare and Sylvan Lake and The Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood.

That with respect to the Petition of William Pauls, Peter Schellenberg and Peter A. Unger, for an Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the Site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta.

That with respect to the Petition of Robert W. Chapman, Johnstone A. Weber, C. Pryor Logan, Frederick G. Gathercole and Benjamin C. Finch, for an Act to Incorporate The Alberta-Canadian Insurance Company.

That with respect to the Petition of The Canadian Pacific Railway Company, for an Act Respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies.

That with respect to the Petition of The Sisters of Charity of St. Louis, for an Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary.

That with respect to the Petition of Sister Marie Berthe Dorais, Sister Eva Morissette, Sister Angelina Letarte, Sister Leonie Ferland and Sister Annette Desilets, for an Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta.

That with respect to the Petition of Harry Graves Curlett, William Edward Broderick and William Boyce, for an Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Ltd.

The Committee finds that the Rules of the Assembly with respect to payment of fees, the advertising in local newspapers and The Alberta Gazette, have been duly complied with, and recommends that leave be granted to introduce the said Bills.

That with respect to the Petition of Merchants and Traders Assurance Company, for an Act to amend the Act Incorporating Merchants and Traders Assurance Company.

That Committee finds that the Rules of the Assembly with regard to payment of fees have been duly complied with, and recommends that leave be granted to introduce said Bill, but that it not be passed until advertising is completed.

That with respect to the Petition of The Catholic Archiepiscopal Corporation of Edmonton, for an Act to Incorporate the Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

That with respect to the Petition of Sister Marie de Ste. Eualalie de Merida, Sister Marie de Ste. Constance and Sister Marie de St. Edouard Martyr, for an Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs.

That with respect to the Petition of Wilbert Lawrence Falconer, Leslie Clarence Percy Lear, Everett Miller Bills, James A. Charlesworth, Norman Lang Chapman and Lucien Maynard, for an Act to Incorporate the Horsemen's Jockey Club.

That with respect to the Petition of The Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League, for an Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League.

The Committee finds that the Rules of the Assembly with respect to payment of fees have been duly complied with, but that with respect to advertising there exists a slight irregularity. The Committee recommends that the said irregularity be overlooked and that leave be granted to introduce the said Bills, but that this be not construed as a precedent for future action.

Ordered, That the Report be received and concurred in.

Moved by Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by the Hon. Dr. Cross:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it the the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, that the Hon. Mr. Manning have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Willmore:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950.

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Halmrast have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Amusements Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Amusements Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported

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that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Amusements Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Amusements Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Dr. Cross, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hooke:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Health Unit Act.

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Health Unit Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Health Unit Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Dr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Health Unit Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Improvement Districts Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Improvements Districts Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Improvements Districts Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Improvement Districts Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Colborne:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Dr. Cross, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hooke:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Public Health Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Dr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Public Health Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act

to amend The Widows' Pensions Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditures Loans Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province.

Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province and after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker, Mr. Dixon, requested that Mr. Speaker resume the Chair.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and the Deputy Speaker informed Mr. Speaker that a vote was taken on an amendment submitted by the Honourable Member for Calgary, Mr. MacDonald, and having ruled that the "Noes" have it, Mr. MacDonald appealed his ruling.

The ruling of the Deputy Speaker being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For sustaining the Deputy Speaker's ruling:

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Colborne
Hartley
Hooke
Hinman
Manning
Aalborg
Willmore
Patrick
Jorgenson
Reierson
Cross, Dr.
Bell
Gilliland
McLaughlin

Messieurs: Taylor

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy
Baker
Fimrite
Robinson, Mrs.
Ross, Dr.

Messieurs: Niddrie

Johnston Sayers Kovach Landeryou Wingblade Gerhart

Gerhart
Lee
Hillman
Strom
Owens
Ruste
Norris
Page
Smith
Ansley

Ellis Stringam Gainer

Against sustaining the Deputy Speaker's ruling:

Messieurs: Dushenski

Ruzycki Maccagno Prowse Tanner Miller Hall

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk
Whitson
Desfosses
MacDonald
Josvanger
Soetaert
Mills
Sims

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The Deputy Speaker's ruling was therefore sustained.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair and the Assembly again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business: COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The debate continued.

Mr. Prowse moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Desfosses:

That all words after the word "that" to the end of the question be omitted and the following substituted therefore:

"this Legislature is of the opinion that payment of a so called oil and gas royalty dividend is in fact a most unwise expenditure of public monies and is not approved by this Legislature."

The debate continued.

Mr. MacDonald moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Monday, March 4th, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

Moved by Mr. Gerhart, seconded by Mr. Page:

Resolved, that the report of the Special Committee appointed by the Legislature on March 27th, 1956, for the purpose of reviewing the Provisions of The Liquor Control Act and recommending amendments thereto, tabled in the Legislature on Tuesday, February 19th, 1957, be now received.

A debate followed.

Mr. Sayers moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

Ordered, That Rule 13(5) be suspended in order to permit the motion for receiving the report of the Special Committee appointed by the Legislature on March 27th, 1956, for the purpose of reviewing the provisions of The Liquor Control Act and recommending amendments thereto, tabled in the Legislature on Tuesday, February 19, 1957, to retain its priority on the Order Paper until it has been dealt with.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:00 p.m., to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, MARCH 5, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929 (Mr. Sayers)
- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches. (Mr. Lee)
- Bill No. 3 An Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act (Mr. Smith)
- Bill No. 4 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and the Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte. (Mrs. Wilkinson)
- Bill No. 5 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Northwestern Utilities, Limited and the Towns of Edson, Mundare and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood. (Mr. Baker)
- Bill No. 6 An Act to amend the Act Incorporating Merchants and Traders Assurance Company. (Mr. MacDonald)
- Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the Site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta. (Mr. Lee)
- Bill No. 8 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta-Canadian Insurance Company. (Mr. Gerhart)
- Bill No. 9 An Act Respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies. (Mr. Dixon)
- Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary. (Mrs. Wilkinson)
- Bill No. 73 An Act to Incorporate the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton. (Mrs. Wilkinson)
- Bill No. 74 An Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs.

(The Corporation of The Sisters of The Holy Cross and of The Seven Sorrows). (Mrs. Wilkinson)

- Bill No. 75 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta. (Mrs. Wilkinson)
- Bill No. 76 An Act to Incorporate the Horsemen's Jockey Club. (Mr. Dixon)
- Bill No. 77 An Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Ltd. (Mr. Gerhart)
- Bill No. 78 An Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League. (Mr. Hardy)

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly, asked for by Mr. Macyk on February 21st, 1957, respecting Contingency Grant expended in 1956 by Highways Department. (Sessional Paper No. 67)

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, by command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the Table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Department of Public Welfare under The Public Contributions Act. (Sessional Paper No. 42)

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Sims:

Whereas no record is made of the words used by Honourable Members in the discussion of public affairs in this Assembly and

Whereas such a record would tend to reduce misunderstanding, facilitate accuracy in reports and impose on all Honourable Members an increased sense of responsibility and

Whereas such reports would permit accurate reference to previous debates and discussions,

Therefore be it resolved that this Assembly requests the Government of Alberta to consider making arrangements to permit and provide for the making and keeping of such a permanent record.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs: Dushenski Ruzycki Maccagno MacEwan Tanner

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Messieurs: Miller

Page Smith Ansley Hall

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk
Whitson
Desfosses
Ellis
Stringam
MacDonald
Josvanger
Soetaert

Soetaert Mills Sims

Gainer

Against the motion:

Messieurs: Taylor

Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalborg Willmore Jorgenson Reierson

Cross, Dr. Dixon Bell Gilliland

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy Baker Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross
Niddrie
Johnston
Sayers
Kovach
Landeryou
Wingblade
Gerhart
Lee

Lee Hillman Strom Owens Norris

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The motion was therefore declared lost.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

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Moved by Mr. Gerhart, seconded by Mr. Page:

Resolved, that the report of the Special Committee, appointed by the Legislature on March 27th, 1956, for the purpose of reviewing the Provisions of The Liquor Control Act and recommending amendments thereto, tabled in the Legislature on Tuesday, February 19th, 1957, be now received.

The debate continued.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Tuesday, March 5th, 1957. 8:00 p.m.

The debate on the motion continued.

Mr. Soetaert moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Mills:

That the motion be amended by deleting the last word "received" and by adding the following words thereto:

"referred to a special or select committee consisting of the following members:

Messieurs: Gerhart
Aalborg
Sayers
Strom
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Dushand

Dushenski

Hall

with the request that the said committee come forward with a practical and realistic program for the amendment of The Liquor Control Act."

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs: Ruzycki

Maccagno
MacEwan
Tanner
Miller
Ansley
Hall
Macyk
Whitson
Desfosses
Ellis

Stringam MacDonald Josvanger

Mills Soetaert

Sims

Gainer

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Against the amendment:

Messieurs: Taylor

Colborne
Hartley
Hinman
Manning
Aalborg
Jorgenson
Reierson
Cross, Dr.
Dixon

Dixon Bell Gilliland

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs.

Baker Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross, Dr.
Johnston
Sayers
Kovach
Landeryou
Wingblade
Gerhart
Lee
Hillman
Strom

Strom Owens Ruste Norris

Norris Page

The amendment was therefore declared lost.

The debate continued.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:35 p.m., to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 6, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 57 An Act to amend The Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by Mr. Desfosses:

That all words after the word, "That" to the end of the question be omitted and the following substituted therefor:

"this Legislature is of the opinion that payment of a so called oil and gas royalty dividend is in fact a most unwise expenditure of public monies and is not approved by this Legislature."

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Dushenski

Ruzycki

Maccagno

MacEwan

Prowse

Tanner

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Kirby

Smith

Hall

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk

Whitson

Desfosses

Ellis

Ellis

Stringam

MacDonald Josvanger

Soetaert

Mills

Sims

Gainer

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Against the amendment:

Messieurs Taylor

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Colborne

Hartley

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Hinman

Manning

Aalborg

Willmore

Patrick

Jorgenson

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Messieurs: Reierson

Cross, Dr. Dixon Bell Gilliland

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy Baker Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Niddrie Johnston Sayers Kovach Landervou Wingblade Gerhart Lee Hillman Strom Owens Ruste Norris

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The amendment was therefore declared lost.

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The debate continued.

Mr. Ellis moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin:

Whereas water is one of our greatest resources and its conservation is essential to provincial and national progress,

And whereas the western provinces have common claim to and common interest in certain waters arising on the Eastern slopes of the Rockies,

Be it resolved that this Legislature urge upon the Government of Alberta to reconsider its refusal in 1955 to participate in an Inter-Provincial Water Authority and take steps to work out a plan for inter-provincial co-operation to administer water policies, conserve water resources, safeguard against unjust pollution and ensure the best use of water for domestic purposes, irrigation, power, recreation and wild life.

A debate followed.

Mr. Stringam moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Ellis;

That the motion be amended by striking out the words "to reconsider its refusal in 1955 to participate in an Inter-Provincial Water Authority, and take steps" where the same appear in the resolution and by substituting therefor the words "to make every effort."

The debate continued.

Mr. Kovach moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Kirby:

Whereas it is desirable that the friendliest relations be maintained between sportsmen and livestock producers in Alberta,

And whereas these relations may become strained by reason of the destruction of livestock by hunters during the hunting season,

And whereas the Alberta Fish and Game Association and the Alberta Livestock Producers' Association have approved in principle the establishment of a contributory fund to indemnify livestock producers for losses resulting from the killing of livestock during the hunting season,

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Alberta be requested to give consideration to the establishment of a contributory fund to provide for compensation to livestock producers for livestock killed by hunters during the season.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion lost.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business:

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The debate continued.

Mr. J. H. McLaughlin moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, MARCH 8, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Monday at 2:30 p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 11, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly do immediately resolve itself into Committee of Supply to consider of the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The debate continued.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it.

The motion was therefor declared carried.

(Assembly in Committee of Supply.)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, MARCH 12, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

By unanimous consent of the Assembly the Rule regarding Notice of Motion was waived.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That the name of the Hon. Member Mr. Ruste be substituted for that of the Hon. Member Mr. Wingblade on the Committee on Public Accounts.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

Mr. MacEwen asked the Government the following question of which he had given notice and which was answered by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast:

- Q. What plans does the Government have to alleviate the recurring threat of floods due to aggravated ice conditions on the Bow River in the vicinity of Calgary?
- A. The Government's plan to alleviate flooding in the Calgary area, due to ice conditions, is to co-operate with the City of Calgary to raise the dykes along the threatened area to the $12\frac{1}{2}$ foot level recommended by the Royal Commission of 1952. The dykes are too low in some areas causing flooding.

We have offered assistance up to \$25,000.00 for that purpose. So far, this assistance has not been called for.

Our plans also call for further studies to be made as to the most suitable catch basins to control ice flow.

Moved by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. MacDonald, that an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

1. The number of persons receiving pension allowances and grants in each of the following cases:

Old Age Assistance

Blind Persons' Allowances

Disabled Persons' Allowance

Mothers' Allowance

Widows' Pensions

Supplementary Allowance

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and also the aggregate amount paid under each.

2. The scale of allowances or pensions paid under each of the foregoing.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Miller on March 12th, 1957, respecting the number of persons receiving pension allowances and grants in each of several cases. (Sessional Paper No. 68)

Moved by Mr. Kirby, seconded by Mr. Smith, that an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

(a) How many grazing leases with respect to Crown lands were in effect as at March 31st, 1956?

- (b) How many acres of Crown lands were covered by such leases?
- (c) How many such grazing leases have been granted since March 31st, 1956?
- (d) How many acres of Crown lands were covered by such leases?

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. MacDonald, that an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Copies of correspondence during the past year between the Government and Calgary Power Company with respect to the control of icing and floods on the Bow River below the Bear's Paw Dam.

The motion was agreed to.

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. MacEwan on March 12th, 1957, respecting correspondence between the Government and the Calgary Power Company re control of icing and floods on the Bow River.

(Sessional Paper No. 69)

Moved by Mr. Dushenski, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki that an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. A complete list of all companies and individuals who hold oil tar sands leases in the McMurray area.
- 2. Number of acres leased to each company or individual in (1) above.
- 3. Names of the directors in the companies in (1).

The motion was agreed to.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin:

Whereas water is one of our greatest resources and its conservation is essential to provincial and natural progress,

And whereas the western provinces have common claim to and common interest in certain waters arising on the Eastern slopes of the Rockies,

Be it resolved that this Legislature urge upon the Government of Alberta to reconsider its refusal in 1955 to participate in an Inter-Provincial Water Authority and take steps to work out a plan for inter-provincial co-operation to administer water policies, conserve water resources, safeguard against unjust pollution and ensure the best use of water for domestic purposes, irrigation, power, recreation and wild life.

To which the following admendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. Stringam, seconded by Mr. Ellis:

That the motion be amended by striking out the words "to reconsider its refusal in 1955 to participate in an Inter-Provincial Water Authority, and take steps" where the same appear in the resolution and by substituting the words, "to make every effort."

The debate continued.

Mr. Kovach moved as an amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. Hardy:

That the amendment be amended by striking out the words "to make every effort" where same appear in the amendment and by substituting therefore the words "to continue to meet with other western provinces".

The debate continued.

The amendment to the amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amendment to the amendment carried.

The amended amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amended amendment carried.

The motion as amended being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion as amended carried.

Moved by Mr. Ansley, seconded by Mr. Gainer:

Be it resolved that, in the opinion of this Assembly, a plebiscite should be held under the powers given the Lieutenant Governor in Council by section 167 of The Election Act, to elicit an expression of opinion from the electors of the Province, before the next regular Session of the Legislature, as to whether the provisions of The Liquor Control Act should be broadened to permit other types of liquor outlets subject to local option.

A debate followed.

Mr. Prowse moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Mac-Donald:

That the motion be amended by deleting all the words after the word "Assembly", and substituting therefore the following words: "The Government be requested to introduce legislation to permit any local option area as defined by Part III of The Alberta Liquor Control Act to decide what forms of liquor outlets may be licensed in that particular area by the Alberta Liquor Control Board, and to also decide from time to time by local option what liquor licenses or forms of liquor licenses be withdrawn."

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs: MacEwan

Prowse Tanner

Miller Kirby Smith

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk Desfosses Ellis

MacDonald Josvanger Soetaert Mills

Mills Sims

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Against the amendment:

Messieurs: Taylor

Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalborg Patrick Jorgenson Reierson

Messieurs: Cross

Dixon Bell Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Wilkinson, Mrs. Hardy

Hardy Baker Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross
Niddrie
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The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "ayes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs: Taylor

Halmrast Colborne Hooke Patrick Dixon Gilliland

McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs.

Ross
Johnston
Kovach
Gerhart
Dushenski
MacEwan
Prowse
Kirby
Smith
Ansley

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk Ellis Stringam MacDonald Josvanger Gainer

Against the motion:

Messieurs: Hartley

Hinman Manning Aalborg Jorgenson Reierson

Cross, Dr.
Bell
Hardy
Baker
Fimrite
Niddrie
Sayers
Wingblade
Hillman
Strom

Owens Ruste Norris Tanner Miller Page 28

Messieurs: Whitson

Desfosses Soetaert Mills Sims

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The motion was therefore declared carried.

It being 5:30, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Tuesday, March 12, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply).

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:45 p.m., to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 13, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole in order to allow the Honourable the Premier to introduce to Mr. Speaker the undernoted winners of the MacDonald Brier Tankard:

Matt Baldwin Gordon Haynes Art Kleinmeyer William Price

Congratulations were extended to them by the Honourable Mr. Manning on behalf of the Government members and by Mr. Prowse on behalf of the Opposition members.

Mr. Speaker introduced the honoured guests to the members of the Assembly and prsented each one with a picture of an Alberta scene as a memento of the occasion.

The Honourable Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the Table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Kirby on March 12, 1957, respecting grazing leases.

(Sessional Paper No. 70)

The Honourable Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the Table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Research Council of Alberta, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 5)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by the Hon. Dr. Cross:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting Investment Contracts.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting Investment Contracts, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act respecting Investment Contracts.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was according read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Manning have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act respecting Investment Contracts".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Land Titles Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Manning have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Land Titles Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Willmore:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers.

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Halmrast have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Willmore, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honour-

able the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Willmore have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Movedby the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Willmore, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Commiteee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Willmore have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the

Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Colborne:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Aalborg have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Aalborg have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved, by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Willmore:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Bow River Development Act.

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Halmrast have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting. Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business. COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

(Assembly in Committee of Supply)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, MARCH 14, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Moved by Mr. MacDonald, seconded by Mr. Josvanger:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- (a) Particulars of the sections of the Trans-Canada Highway that were treated as units for the purpose of construction?
- (b) What contracts were granted by the Government covering the construction of each such unit?
- (c) What distance of highway and what nature of work was covered in each case?
- (d) What tenders were received in each case?
- (f) What was the full amount paid to the contractor in each case?
- (g) What amount, if any, was paid to the contractor in each case over and above the original contract amount?
- (h) What were the full amounts of the statements submitted to the Government of Canada in each case?
- (i) What was the full contribution or contributions of the Government of Canada in each case?

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. What per diem allowance was paid to Mr. Mahaffy in connection with the Royal Commission:
- (a) During preparation for the hearing.
- (b) While acting as counsel at the hearing.
- (c) While acting as chairman.
- (d) While preparing findings.
- (e) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and, if not, what expenses was he entiteld to.
 - 2. Total amount paid to Mr. Mahaffy.
 - 3. What per diem allowance was paid to Mr. Morrow:
- (a) During preparation for the hearing.
- (aa) While acting as Assistant Counsel.
- (b) While acting as counsel at the hearing.
- (c) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and, if not, what expenses was he entiteld to.
 - 4. Total amount paid to Mr. Morrow.
- 5. Did Mr. Morrow have an assistant at any time, and, if he did, total amount paid to him.
 - 6. What per diem allowance was paid to Dr. Villett:
- (a) For period during hearings.
- (b) While preparing findings.
- (c) Total amount paid to Dr. Villett.
- (d) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and if not, what expenses was he entitled to.
 - 7. What per diem allowance was paid to Dr. Dower:
- (a) For period during hearings.
- (b) While preparing findings.
- (c) Total amount paid to Dr. Dower.
- (d) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and if not, what expenses was he entitled to.
 - 8. What per diem allowance was paid to Mr. Galbraith:
- (a) For period during hearings.
- (b) While preparing findings.
- (c) Total amount paid to Mr. Galbraith.
- (d) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and if not, what expenses was he entitled to.
 - 9. What per diem allowance was paid to Mr. Brown:
- (a) For period during hearings.
- (b) While preparing findings.
- (c) Total amount paid to Mr. Brown.
- (d) Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and if not, what expenses was he entitled to.
- 10. What sum was paid by the Government for transcripts of the evidence?

- (a) To whom were transcripts supplied at Government expense?
- 11. How many copies of Report of Commission were published?
 - 12. Cost of these reports.
 - 13. To whom were they distributed?
- 14. What per diem allowance was paid by the Government to Mr. Helman retained to represent the Government?
- (a) For period during hearings.
- (b) While preparing for hearing.
- 15. Did the per diem allowance include expenses, and, if not, what expenses was he entitled to.
 - 16. Total amount paid to Mr. Helman.
 - 17. 1. How much time was spent by Mr. Jones, solicitor-engineer with the Department of Highways, in briefing the evidence for Mr. Helman.
 - 2. What was the total time spent by Mr. Jones in matters relating to the hearings of the Royal Commission.
 - 3. What part of his pay was charged to the cost of the Royal Commission?
- 18. What other special and clerical assistance did Mr. Helman have from persons on the public payroll.
- 19. How many weeks did Mr. Frawley of the Attorney General's Department spend in assisting the Government in the establishment of the Royal Commission or during its hearings and findings?
 - 20. Total cost of conducting Royal Commission.
 - 21. Number of "summary of findings" presented.
- (a) Were they printed by Queen's Printer?
- (b) Cost of printing?
- (c) To what group or groups were they distributed and by whom?
- (d) Cost of distribution.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Soetaert, seconded by Mr. Mills:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing: With respect to:

- (a) the auditorium in Calgary;
- (b) the auditorium in Edmonton:
- 1. On what date did the Government decide to construct the auditorium?

- 2. (a) When was the work of preparing architects plans, designs and specifications commenced in each case?
 - (b) On what dates were these completed, and if a series were completed, then give particulars of each and date of commencement and completion in each case?
- 3. (a) On what dates were tenders called for specifying the work and/or materials or equipment or furnishings in each case?
 - (b) When did tenders close in each case?
- 4. (a) What work, if any, was commenced before plans, designs and specification were completed?
 - (b) What tenders were invited and/or contracts let or work authorized before plans, designs and specifications were completed.
- 5. (a) What work, if any, was done or altered after it was completed or partially completed?
 - (b) 1. What was the considerations specified originally for the footings and foundations?
 - 2. What consideration for this work has been paid or authorized for payment?
 - 3. What additional amounts, if any, does the Government expect to have to pay or authorize for payment?
- 6. What materials and/or work was paid for and never used?
- 7. With respect to construction, equipping and/or furnishing
 - (a) What were the tenders received in each case?
 - (b) What was the amount of the contract let in each case?
 - (c) To what extent have original contracts been revised or amended?
- 8. What estimates were obtained for the building of each auditorium before work was commenced, showing
 - (a) From whom
 - (b) The amount estimated in each case
 - (c) Were these estimates in each case obtained before or after plans, designs and specifications were completed?
- 9. What will be the final cost of each, as closely as can now be estimated?
- 10. Under the contingency fund or clause established in each contract, what amounts have been paid or authorized for payment and/or for what purpose or purposes?

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Whitson, seconded by Mr. Soetaert:

Resolved that the Government be requested to give favourable consideration to adopting legislation which will permit farm trucks and tractors to use purple gas for purposes limited to proper agricultural activities.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the Motion:

Messieurs: Dushenski

Ruzycki Maccagno MacEwan Prowse Page Kirby Smith Hall

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk Whitson Desfosses Ellis

Ellis

MacDonald Josvanger Soetaert Mills Sims Gainer

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Against the Motion:

Messieurs: Taylor

Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalborg Willmore Patrick Jorgenson

Reierson Cross, Dr.

Dixon Bell

Gilliland Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy Baker Fimrite Messieurs: Robinson, Mrs.

Ross, Dr.
Niddrie
Johnston
Sayers
Kovach
Landeryou
Wingblade
Gerhart
Lee
Hillman
Strom
Owens
Ruste
Norris

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The motion was therefore declared lost.

Tanner Ansley Stringam

Moved by Mr. Maccagno, seconded by Mr. Hall:

Whereas present Commercial Fishing Regulations are unsatisfactory in their relation to a sound conservation program,

And whereas they are wholly unfair to the Commercial Fisherman,

Be it resolved that the Fisheries Branch of the Department of Lands and Forests make a special study of this problem with an end to developing a fairer and more progressive Commercial Fishing Policy for the Province of Alberta.

A debate followed.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Dixon:

That the motion be amended by striking out all the words after the word "Regulations" where it appears in the first line and substituting the following therefor:

"make it difficult to market the product at a favourable return to the fisherman;

"And whereas commercial fishing regulations should be reviewed in regard to the commercial fisherman who makes part or all of his living by fishing,

"Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests make a special study for the purpose of recommending the best possible regulations in the interests of commercial fishermen and the stabilization of the industry in keeping with recognized conservation practices of this natural resource."

So that the motion, if amended would read:

"Whereas present Commercial Fishing Regulations make it difficult to market the product at a favourable return to the fisherman, and "Whereas commercial fishing regulations should be reviewed in regard to the commercial fisherman who makes part or all of his living by fishing,

"Be it resolved that the Department of Lands and Forests make a special study for the purpose of recommending the best possible regulations in the interests of commercial fishermen and the stabilization of the industry in keeping with recognized conservation practices of this natural resource."

The debate continued.

Mr. MacEwan moved as an amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. Macyk.

That the amendment be amended by striking out all the words before "Be it resolved".

The debate continued.

The amendment to the amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amendment to the amendment carried.

The amended amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amended amendment carried.

The motion as amended being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion as amended carried.

Moved by Mrs. Dushenski, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki:

Whereas the recent increase in gasoline prices appears not to have been based on increased costs of production in Canada, but on the increase of crude oil prices in the United States which permitted Alberta producers to increase the price of crude.

Be it resolved that this legislature request the Government to give consideration to the appointment of a Royal Commission to enquire into the cost of production of crude oil in Alberta, and of gasoline and other oil products refined in Alberta from Alberta crude oil.

A debate followed.

Mr. Smith moved the adjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.
- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 11 An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations.
- Bill No. 24 An Act to amend The Public Health Act.
- Bill No. 25 An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.
- Bill No. 26 An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act.
- Bill No. 29 An Act respecting Investment Contracts.

- Bill No. 30 An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.
- Bill No. 33 An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950.
- Bill No. 39 An Act to amend The Amusements Act.
- Bill No. 41 An Act to amend The County Act.
- Bill No. 44 An Act to amend The Health Unit Act.
- Bill No. 47 An Act to amend The Improvement Districts Act.
- Bill No. 50 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions.
- Bill No. 52 An Act to amend The Marketing of Agricultural Products Act.
- Bill No. 54 An Act to amend The Land Titles Act.
- Bill No. 57 An Act to amend The Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act.
- Bill No. 58 An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act.
- Bill No. 59 An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers.
- Bill No. 60 An Act to amend The Public Service Vehicles Act.
- Bill No. 64 An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act.
- Bill No. 65 An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.
- Bill No. 67 An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.
- Bill No. 69 An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act.
- Bill No. 70 An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act.
- Bill No. 71 An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Thursday, March 14th, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply).

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again. Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m., to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, MARCH 15, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (1).

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (1), and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (1).

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (1)".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon Mr. Manning, seconded by the Hon. Dr. Cross:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, A Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Provinde for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of

the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second Time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second Time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Manning have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply)

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Friday, March 15th, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

(Assembly still in Committee of Supply)

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:50 p.m. to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, MARCH 18, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply.

(Assembly in Committee of Supply)

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Monday, March 18th, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

(Assembly still in Committee of Supply)

And after some time spent therein, the Deputy Speaker, Mr. Dixon requested that Mr. Speaker resume the Chair.

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and the Deputy Speaker informed Mr. Speaker that a vote was taken on an amendment submitted by the Honourable Member for Calgary, Mr. MacDonald and having ruled that the "Noes" have it, Mr. MacDonald appealed his ruling.

The ruling of the Deputy Speaker being proposed Mr. Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For sustaining the Deputy Speaker's ruling:

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast

Colborne

Hartley

Hooke

Hinman

Manning

Aalborg

Willmore

Patrick

Jorgenson

Reiersen

Cross, Dr.

Bell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy

Baker

Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross, Dr.

Johnston

Sayers

Kovach

Landeryou

Wingblade

Gerhart

Hillman

Strom

Owens

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Ruzycki

Maccagno

Prowse Page

Smith

Ansley

Hall

Ellis

Stringam

Against sustaining the Deputy Speaker's ruling:

Messieurs Tanner

Kirby

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk

Whitson

Desfosses

MacDonald

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Messieurs: Josvanger

Soetaert Mills Sims Gainer

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The Deputy Speaker's ruling was therefore sustained.

Mr. Speaker left the Chair and the Assembly again resolved

itself into Committee of Supply.

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, MARCH 19, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 37 An Act to amend The Alberta Insurance Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 45 An Act to amend The City Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 88 An Act to amend The Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)
- Bill No. 91 An Act to amend The Alberta Pharmaceutical Association Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Department of the Provincial Secretary for the year ending December 31st, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 38)

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Public Service Pension Board, March 31st, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 3)

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour, the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Alberta Power Commission Annual Report, 1956. (Sessional Paper, No. 23)

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Mills:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply).

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Tuesday, March 19, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

(Assembly still in Committee of Supply)

After some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 11:25 p.m. to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 20, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Honourable Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, Report on Survey of Queen's Printer's Branch, dated September, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 73)

The Honourable Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, Report of the Benchers' Special Committee on Mineral Titles.

(Sessional Paper No. 72)

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply.)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, MARCH 21, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 92 An Act to amend The School Act. (Hon. Mr. Aalborg.)

Bill No. 103 An Act to amend The Alberta Labour Act. (Hon. Mr. Reierson.)

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. Sims:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The number and location of Treasury Branches operating without charge or cost to the Treasury Branches for the premises occupied.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Soetaert, seconded by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

- 1. The aggregate amount of tax arrears of Municipalities grouped as follows:
 - (a) Rural Municipalities and Counties south of Calgary.
 - (b) Rural Municipalities and Counties between Calgary and Edmonton.
 - (c) Rural Municipalities and Counties north of Edmonton.
 - (d) Towns and Villages.
 - (e) Cities.

for each of the last five years, and the estimated figures for the year ending March 31, 1957.

2. The percentage of the annual levy these figures represent in each case.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin, seconded by Mr. Hall:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

The total cost for the last eight years of the construction and maintenance of the road or highway approaching the Town of Peace River from the north boundary of township 82 to the Town of Peace River.

The motion was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Whitson:

Whereas present slaughtering methods in abattoirs and slaughter houses allow for carelessness, resulting in needless suffering to meat animals, and

Whereas humane slaughtering has been made compulsory in some countries, with encouraging results,

Be it resolved that the government give consideration to a study of slaughtering methods in anticipation of providing legislation to require commercial slaughtering plants in the province to conform to appropriate humane methods.

A debate followed.

The Hon. Mr. Halmrast moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders, and Printing:

- Bill No. 74 An Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs (The Corporation of The Sisters of the Holy Cross and of The Seven Sorrows).
- Bill No. 75 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business:

COMMITTEE OF SUPPLY.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assemby in Committee of Supply.)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Dr. Ross, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee an Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing has had under consideration the undermentioned Bills and begs to report the same:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929
- Bill No. 3 An Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act
- Bill No. 4 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian West-

ern Natural Gas Company Limited and the Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte

- Bill No. 5 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Northwestern Utilities, Limited and the Towns of Edson, Mundare, and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood
- Bill No. 6 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate the Merchants and Traders Assurance Company
- Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta
- Bill No. 9 An Act respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing has had under consideration the undermentioned Bills and begs to report the same with certain amendments:

- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches
- Bill No. 8 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company
- Bill No. 78 An Act respecting the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Command and Branches of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League

Dr. Ross moved that the report be received and concurred in.

The Hon. Mr. Colborne moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Dixon, that Bills No.'s 2, 7, and 78 be referred back to the Committee on Private Bills for consideration of remission of fees, less the cost of printing.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the amendment carried.

The motion as amended being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion as amended carried.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 36 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Taxation Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke)

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Soetaert on March 21, 1957, respecting tax arrears of municipalities. (Sessional Paper No. 74)

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply)

And after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that some further progress had been made and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, MARCH 25, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Hall on March 19, 1957, respecting premises occupied by Treasury Branches.

(Sessional Paper No. 75)

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Dushenski on March 12, 1957, respecting oil tarsands leases.

(Sessional Paper No. 76)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for A Bill for An Act to amend The Assessment Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Assessment Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assemby resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Students' Assistance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for A Bill for An Act to amend The Students' Assistance Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Students' Assistance Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Aalborg have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Students' Assistance Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assemby resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Establish the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable

the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for A Bill for An Act to Establish the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Establish the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Establish the Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Taylor, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assemby resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Highways Department Act.

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for A Bill for An Act to amend The Highways Department Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Highways Department Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Taylor have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Highways Department Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Taylor, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act.

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend the Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Taylor have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a Firt time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Taylor, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in the Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems.

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Asembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in the Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in the Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Taylor have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in the Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Colborne, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Patrick:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2).

The Hon. Mr. Colborne, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2), and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2).

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Colborne have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2)."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same as read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Dr. Cross, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hooke:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Hospitals Act.

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Hospitals Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Hospitals Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Dr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Hospitals Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 14 An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta.
- Bill No. 36 An Act to amend The Pipeline Taxation Act.
- Bill No. 37 An Act to amend The Alberta Insurance Act.
- Bill No. 45 An Act to amend The City Act.
- Bill No. 61 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Registered Dietitians Association.
- Bill No. 68 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act. (1)
- Bill No. 72 An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act.
- Bill No. 80 An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act.
- Bill No. 88 An Act to amend The Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act.
- Bill No. 91 An Act to amend The Alberta Pharmaceutical Association Act.
- Bill No. 92 An Act to amend The School Act.
- Bill No. 103 An Act to amend The Alberta Labour Act.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing:

- Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary.
- Bill No. 76 An Act to Incorporate the Horsemen's Jockey Club.
- Bill No. 77 An Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Limited.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business:

According to Order the Assemby resolved itself into Committee of Supply:

(Assembly in Committee of Supply.)

And after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions, and the same were read as follows:

- 1. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Four Million, Six Hundred and Seventy-six Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Public Debt.
- 2. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Two Million, Five Hundred and Ninety-one Thousand, One Hundred and Thirty-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Executive Council.
- 3. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Seven Hundred and Fourteen Thousand, Nine Hundred and Ten Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Legislation.
- 4. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Eight Million, Four Hundred and Fifty-three Thousand, Eight Hundred and Eighty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for the Agriculture Department.
- 5. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Five Million, Four Hundred and Ninety-eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, for the Attorney General's Department.
- 6. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Forty-three Million, Five Hundred and Forty-eight Thousand, Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Education Department.
- 7. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Million, Two Hundred and Ninety Thousand, Four Hundred and Ten Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for the Municipal Affairs Department.
- 8. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Four Hundred and Two Thousand, Two Hundred and Seventy-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for the Provincial Secretary's Department.
- 9. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven Million, Three Hundred and Thirty-three Thousand Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Public Health Department.
- 10. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Twenty Million, Five Hundred and Three Thousand and Sixty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Public Works Department.

- 11. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Thirteen Million, Seven Hundred and Twenty-three Thousand, One Hundred and Sixty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for the Treasury Department.
- 12. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Thirty-one Million, One Hundred and Forty-two Thousand, Four Hundred and Twenty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Railways and Telephones Department (Telephone Branch).
- 13. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Million, Five Hundred and Forty Thousand, Seven Hundred and Forty-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Industries and Labour Department.
- 14. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Eleven Million, Seven Hundred and Ninety-four Thousand, Five Hundred and Ninety Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for the Public Welfare Department.
- 15. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Five Hundred and Forty-two Thousand, Three Hundred and Forty-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Canadian Vocational Training.
- 16. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Million, Thirtyone Thousand, One Hundred Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Economic Affairs, Department.
- 17. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Five Million, One Hundred and Fifty-eight Thousand, Nine Hundred and Sixty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Lands and Forests Department.
- 18. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Million, Seven Hundred and Sixty-one Thousand, Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Mines and Minerals Department.
- 19. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Sixty-three Million, Four Hundred and Five Thousand, Two Hundred and Ninety-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1958, for Highways Department.

FURTHER SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED MARCH 31st, 1956.

- 1. Resolved that a sum not exceeding Six Thousand, Eight Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars and Fifty Cents, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956, for the Attorney General's Department.
- 2. Resolved that a sum not exceeding Nine Thousand, Two Hundred and Twenty-nine Dollars and Eighty Cents be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956, for Lands and Forests Department.
- 3. Resolved that a sum not exceeding Three Hundred Thousand Dollars be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956, for Highways Department.

SUPPLEMENTARY ESTIMATES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31st, 1957

- 1. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Hundred and Twenty-six Thousand, Eight Hundred and Sixty-five Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Executive Council.
- 2. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Twenty-seven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Legislation.
- 3. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Hundred and Twenty-seven Thousand, Six Hundred and Twenty-five Dollars and Fifty Cents, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Agriculture Department.
- 4. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Thirty-six Thousand and Ninety-six Dollars and Sixty-eight Cents, be granted fo Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for the Attorney General's Department.
- 5. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Three Millon Dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for the Education Department.
- 6. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Twenty-four Thousand, One Hundred and Twenty-two Dollars and Forty-seven Cents, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for the Department of Municipal Affairs.
- 7. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for the Department of Public Health.
- 8. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Three Million, Four Hundred and Fifty-two Thousand, Four Hundred and Sixtynine Dollars and Thirty-six Cents, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Public Works Department.
- 9. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Two Hundred and Fourteen Thousand Six Hundred and Sixty Dollars and Fourteen Cents, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for the Treasury Department.
- 10. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Industries and Labour Department.
- 11. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Hundred and One Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Public Welfare Department.
- 12. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding One Hundred Thousand Dollars be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Canadian Vocational Training.
- 13. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Fifty-seven Thousand Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Economic Affairs Department.

- 14. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Six Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Lands and Forests Department.
- 15. Resolved, that a sum not exceeding Three Million, Seven Hundred and Eleven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars, be granted to Her Majesty, for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, for Highways Department.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said Resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

Moved by Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by Hon. Mr. Halm-rast:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of Ways and Means to consider of the Ways and Means of raising the Supply to be granted to Her Majesty.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

The Assembly according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of Ways and Means, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to certain Resolutions and the same were read as follows:

Resolved, that towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ended March 31st, 1956, the sum of Three Hundred and Sixteen Thousand and Eighty-three Dollars and Thirty Cents be granted out of the General Revenue Fund of the Province.

Resolved, that towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31st, 1957, the sum of Eleven Million Nine Hundred and Thirty-five Thousand, Eight Hundred and Thirty-nine Dollars and Fifteen Cents, be granted out of the General Revenue Fund of the Province.

Resolved, that towards making good the supply granted to Her Majesty for the fiscal year ending March 31, 1958, the sum of Two Hundred and Forty-five Million, One Hundred and Eleven Thousand, Seven Hundred and Ninety Dollars, be granted out of the General Revenue Fund of the Province.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said Resolutions were then twice read and agreed to.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at this sitting:

Bill No. 102 An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for the Public Service for the Fiscal Years Ending Respectively the Thirtyfirst day of March, 1956, the Thirty-first day of March, 1957, and the Thirty-first day of March, 1958. (Hon. Mr. Hinman) Accordingly the following Bill was read a Second time and ordered for Third Reading at next sitting.

Bill No. 102 An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain Sums of Money for the Public Service for the Fiscal Years Ending Respectively the Thirtyfirst day of March 1956, the Thirty-first Day of March, 1957, and the Thirty-first Day of March, 1958.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 12 An Act to amend The Coroners Act
- Bill No. 15 An Act to amend The Gas Protection Act
- Bill No. 17 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Act
- Bill No. 18 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act
- Bill No. 19 An Act to amend The Juvenile Court Act
- Bill No. 20 An Act to amend The Department of Education Act
- Bill No. 21 An Act to amend The Department of Industries and Labour Act
- Bill No. 22 An Act of Consent respecting the adoption of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary as surveyed by the Canadian Department of the Interior in 1924 and 1925 and by the Alberta-Northwest Territories Boundary Commission between 1950 and 1954.
- Bill No. 23 An Act to amend The Seizures Act
- Bill No. 26 An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act
- Bill No. 27 An Act to amend The Metis Betterment Act
- Bill No. 31 An Act to amend The Alberta Livestock and Livestock Products Act
- Bill No. 32 An Act to amend The Names of Homes Act
- Bill No. 33 An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950
- Bill No. 38 An Act to amend The Revised Statutes 1955 Act
- Bill No. 40 An Act to amend The Teachers' Retirement Fund Act
- Bill No. 43 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act
- Bill No. 44 An Act to amend The Health Unit Act

Bill No. 46 An Act to amend The Public Trustee Act

The following Bill was reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third Reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 24 An Act to amend The Public Health Act

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 29 An Act respecting Investment Contracts.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m., to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 106 An Act to amend The Election Act. (Hon. Mr. Colborne.)

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Whitson:

Whereas present slaughtering methods in abattoirs and slaughter houses allow for carelessness, resulting in needless suffering to meat animals, and

Whereas humane slaughtering has been made compulsory in some countries, with encouraging results,

Be it resolved that the government give consideration to a study of slaughtering methods in anticipation of providing legislation to require commercial slaughtering plants in the province to conform to appropriate humane methods.

The debate continued.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

Bill No. 49 An Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act.

Bill No. 56 An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

Bill No. 82 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions.

Bill No. 84 An Act to amend The Students Assistance Act.

- Bill No. 85 An Act to amend The Hospitals Act.
- Bill No. 86 An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in the Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems.
- Bill No. 97 An Act to amend The Highways Department Act.
- Bill No. 100 An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act.
- Bill No. 107 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2).

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.
- Bill No. 3 An Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act.
- Bill No. 4 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and the Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte.
- Bill No. 5 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between North-Western Utilities, Limited and the Towns of Edson, Mundare, and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood.
- Bill No. 9 An Act respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies.

The following Bill was reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 8 An Act to Incorporate The Edmonton-Canadian Insurance Company.

On the following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again.

Bill No. 11 An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations.

Bill No. 28 An Act to amend The Town and Village Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by Mr. Prowse:

That Rule No. 2 of the Rules and Forms of the Legislative Assembly be suspended, so that when the Assembly rises tonight it shall stand adjourned until tomorrow at 3:00 p.m.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday at 3:00 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 3:00 o'clock.

Dr. Ross, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing has had under consideration the undermentioned Bill and begs to report the same:

Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary.

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing has had under consideration the undermentioned Bills and begs to report the same with certain amendments:

- Bill No. 74 An Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix et Des Sept Douleurs (The Corporation of the Sisters of the Holy Cross and of the Seven Sorrows).
- Bill No. 77 An Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Ltd.

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing begs to recommend that with respect to the following Bills the fees be refunded less the cost of printing:

- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches.
- Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of the Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta.
- Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary.
- Bill No. 74 An Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix et Des Sept Douleurs (The Corporation of the Sisters of the Holy Cross and of The Seven Sorrows).

The Committee further recommends that with respect to

Bill No. 78 An Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League

the fees be not refunded.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 13 An Act to amend The Tax Recovery Act. (Hon. Mr. Hooke.)

Bill No. 112 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate Medical Services (Alberta) Incorporated. (Hon. Dr. Cross.)

The Hon. Mr. Reierson, a Member of the Executive Council, by Command of His Honour the Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly:

Annual Report of the Provincial Marketing Board, and Report and Accounts of:

Marketing Services Limited.

Prairie Woollen Mills Limited.

(Sessional Paper No. 19)

Rules and Regulations under The Boilers and Pressure Vessels Act. (Sessional Paper No. 20)

Rules and Regulations under The Electrical Protection Act. (Sessional Paper No. 21)

Rules and Regulations under The Gas Protection Act. (Sessional Paper No. 22)

Statement of Expenditure of Alberta Power Commission. (Part Sessional Paper No. 23)

Rules and Regulations under The Welding Act.
(Sessional Paper No. 24)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Aalborg, seconded by the Hon. Dr. Cross:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to

amend The Liquor Control Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Aalborg have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide for the Licensing of Seismographic Recording and Drilling Equipment.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide for The Licensing of Seismographic Recording and Drilling Equipment, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Provide for The Licensing of Seismographic Recording and Drilling Equipment.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to Provide for The Licensing of Seismographic Recording and Drilling Equipment".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

The Order of the Day being read for the Second reading of Bill No. 95, An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province;

The Hon. Mr. Hinman moved that the Bill be now read a Second time.

A debate followed.

Mr. Prowse moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Macyk:

That the motion be amended by striking out all the words after the word, "That" and by substituting therefor the following:

"the character and object of this Bill are such as to constitute it a measure of public policy which ought not be dealt with until the requirements of the Province and the Local Governments for

- (1) Educational facilities
- (2) Health and Hospital facilities
- (3) Conservation of our natural resources
- (4) Roads and public works
- (5) Assistance to the poor and needy are all full met and satisfied."

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Colborne moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

According to Order the following Bill was read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

Bill No. 106 An Act to amend The Election Act.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, MARCH 28, 1957

The Speaker took the chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 16 An Act to amend The Alberta Land Surveyors Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke)

Bill No. 111 An Act to amend The Public Highways Act (Hon. Mr. Taylor)

Bill No. 108 An Act to amend The Municipal Hospitals Act (Hon. Dr. Cross)

Bill No. 124 An Act to continue in Force Liquor Permits Due to Expire on the Thirty-first day of March, 1957 (Hon. Mr. Manning)

Moved by Mr. Dushenski, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki:

Whereas many of the recipients of old age security and old age assistance are forced to pay a disproportionate share of their incomes for inadequate living accommodation, be it

Resolved that this Legislative Assembly request the government to give consideration to the erection of housekeeping units suitable for aged couples and single persons, to be rented at rates commensurate with the income of pensioners.

A debate followed.

Dr. Ross moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to Committee of the Whole Assembly:

Bill No. 13 An Act to amend The Tax Recovery Act

Bill No. 48 An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act

Bill No. 63 An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act

Bill No. 87 An Act to Provide for The Licensing of Seismographic Recording and Drilling Equipment

Bill No. 94 An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Bill No. 95, An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province be now read a second time.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by Mr. Macyk:

That the motion be amended by striking out all the words after the word, "That", and by substituting therefor:

"the character and object of this Bill are such as to constitute it a measure of public policy which ought not to be dealt with until the requirements of the Province and the Local Governments for

- (1) Educational facilities
- (2) Health and hospital facilities
- (3) Conservation of our natural resources

- (4) Roads and Public works
- (5) Assistance to the poor and needy are all fully met and satisfied."

The debate continued.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke moved the arjournment of the debate which was agreed to.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 12 An Act to amend The Coroners Act.
- Bill No. 15 An Act to amend The Gas Protection Act.
- Bill No. 17 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Act.
- Bill No. 18 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act.
- Bill No. 19 An Act to amend The Juvenile Court Act.
- Bill No. 20 An Act to amend The Department of Education Act.
- Bill No. 21 An Act to amend The Department of Industries and Labour Act.
- Bill No. 22 An Act of Consent respecting the adoption of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary as surveyed by the Canadian Department of the Interior in 1924 and 1925 and by the Alberta-Northwest Territories Boundary Commission between 1950 and 1954.
- Bill No. 23 An Act to amend The Seizures Act.
- Bill No. 24 An Act to amend The Public Health Act.
- Bill No. 27 An Act to amend The Metis Betterment Act.
- Bill No. 31 An Act to amend The Alberta Livestock and Livestock Products Act.
- Bill No. 32 An Act to amend The Names of Homes Act.
- Bill No. 33 An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950.
- Bill No. 38 An Act to amend The Revised Statutes 1955 Act.
- Bill No. 40 An Act to amend The Teachers' Retirement Fund Act.
- Bill No. 43 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act.
- Bill No. 44 An Act to amend The Health Unit Act.
- Bill No. 46 An Act to amend The Public Trustee Act.

Bill No. 102 An Act for Granting to Her Majesty certain Sums of Money for the Public Service for the Fiscal Years Ending Respectively the Thirty-first Day of March, 1956, the Thirty-first Day of March, 1957, and the Thirty-first Day of March, 1958.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bill:

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Dr. Cross, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hooke:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province.

The Hon. Dr. Cross, a Member of Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Dr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 16 An Act to amend The Alberta Land Surveyors Act.
- Bill No. 108 An Act to amend The Municipal Hospitals Act.
- Bill No. 111 An Act to amend The Public Highways Act.
- Bill No. 112 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate Medical Services (Alberta) Incorporated.
- Bill No. 124 An Act to Continue in Force Liquor Permits Due to Expire on the Thirty-first Day of March, 1957.

According to Order the following Bill was read a Second time and referred to the Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing:

Bill No. 73 An Act to Incorporate the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bill:

The following Bill was reported and ordered to be read a Third time at this sitting:

Bill No. 124 An Act to Continue in Force Liquor Permits Due to Expire on the Thirty-first day of March, 1957.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business:

GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 26 An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act.
- Bill No. 124 An Act to Continue in Force Liquor Permits Due to Expire on the Thirty-first day of March, 1957.

PRIVATE BILLS

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929.
- Bill No. 3 An Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act.

- Bill No. 4 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and the Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte.
- Bill No. 5 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authoizing the Same Between North-Western Utilities, Limited and the Towns of Edson, Mundare, and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood.
- Bill No. 8 An Act to Incorporate The Edmonton Canadian Insurance Company.
- Bill No. 9 An Act respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business.

GOVERNMENT BILLS AND ORDERS

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Bill No. 95, An Act to Enable Citizen of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province be now read a Second time.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by Mr. Macyk:

That the motion be amended by striking out all the words after the word "That" and by substituting therefor:

"the character and object of this Bill are such as to constitute it a measure of public policy which ought not to be dealt with until the requirements of the Province and the Local Governments for

- (1) Educational facilities
- (2) Health and hospital facilities
- (3) Conservation of our natural resources
- (4) Roads and public works
- (5) Assistance to the poor and needy

are all fully met and satisfied."

The debate continued.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Ruzycki

Maccagno

Prowse

Tanner

Miller

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Kirby

Smith

McLaughlin, J. H.

Macyk

Whitson

Desfosses

Stringam

Josvanger

Soetaert

Sims

Gainer

Against the amendment:

Messieurs Taylor

Halmrast

Colborne

Hartley

Hooke

Hinman

Manning

Aalborg

Patrick

Taurick

Jorgenson

Reierson

Cross, Dr.

Dixon

Bell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Hardy

Baker

Robinson, Mrs.

Ross, Dr.

Johnston

Sayers

Kovach

Landeryou

Wingblade

Gerhart

Lee

Hillman

Strom

Owens

Ruste

Norris

Ansley

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The amendment was therefore declared lost.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Ayes" have it, and the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Taylor Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalhorg Patrick Jorgenson Reierson Cross, Dr. Dixon Bell Gilliland McLaughlin, I. Hardy Baker Robinson, Mrs. Ross, Dr. Johnston Sayers Kovach Landeryou Wingblade Gerhart Lee

Ansley

Against the motion:

Messieurs Ruzycki

Maccagno
Prowse
Tanner
Miller
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Kirby
Smith
McLaughlin, J. H.
Macyk

Hillman Strom Owens Ruste Norris

Whitson Desfosses Stringam Josvanger 33

Messieurs Soetaert Mills Sims Gainer

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The motion was therefore declared carried.

The said bill was accordingly read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly.

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the Site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta

Bill No. 13 An Act to amend The Tax Recovery Act

Bill No. 34 An Act to amend The Local Tax Arrears Consolidation Act

Bill No. 35 An Act to repeal the Industries Assessment Act

Bill No. 41 An Act to amend The County Act

Bill No. 42 An Act to amend The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act

The following Bill was reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches

On following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 36 An Act to amend The Pipeline Taxation Act

Bill No. 39 An Act to amend The Amusement Act

Bill No. 45 An Act to amend The City Act

His Honour the Honourable the Administrator having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne,

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sitting thereof passed a number of Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honour's Assent."

The Clerk of the Assembly then read the title of the Bills that had passed as follows:

"The following are the Titles of the Bills to which Your Honour's Assent is prayed:

- Bill No. 1 An Act to amend The Alberta Wheat Pool Act, 1929
- Bill No. 3 An Act to amend The Calgary Golf and Country Club Act
- Bill No. 4 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between Canadian Western Natural Gas Company Limited and the Towns of Didsbury, Innisfail and Olds and the Villages of Airdrie, Bowden, Carstairs, Crossfield, Delburne, Nobleford, Penhold and Picture Butte
- Bill No. 5 An Act Ratifying, Confirming and Declaring to be in Full Force and Effect Certain Special Franchise Agreements and the By-laws Authorizing the Same Between North-Western Utilities, Limited, and the towns of Edson, Mundare, and Sylvan Lake and the Villages of Bruderheim, Chipman, Entwistle, Evansburg, Lamont, Millet, Onoway and Wildwood.
- Bill No. 8 An Act to Incorporate The Edmonton Canadian Insurance Company
- Bill No. 9 An Act respecting Canadian Pacific Railway Company and Certain Subsidiary Companies
- Bill No. 12 An Act to amend The Coroners Act
- Bill No. 15 An Act to amend The Gas Protection Act
- Bill No. 17 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Long Term Financing Act
- Bill No. 18 An Act to amend The Rural Electrification Revolving Fund Act
- Bill No. 19 An Act to amend The Juvenile Court Act
- Bill No. 20 An Act to amend The Department of Educacation Act
- Bill No. 21 An Act to amend The Department of Industries and Labour Act
- Bill No. 22 An Act of Consent respecting the adoption of the Alberta-Northwest Territories boundary as surveyed by the Canadian Department of the Interior in 1924 and 1925 and by the Alberta Northwest Territories Boundary Commission between 1950 and 1954.
- Bill No. 23 An Act to amend The Seizures Act.
- Bill No. 24 An Act to amend The Public Health Act.

- Bill No. 26 An Act to amend The Supplementary Allowances Act
- Bill No. 27 An Act to amend The Metis Betterment Act.
- Bill No. 31 An Act to amend The Alberta Livestock and Livestock Products Act.
- Bill No. 32 An Act to amend The Names of Homes Act.
- Bill No. 33 An Act to amend The St. Mary and Milk Rivers Development Act, 1950.
- Bill No. 38 An Act to amend The Revised Statutes 1955 Act.
- Bill No. 40 An Act to amend The Teachers' Retirement Fund Act.
- Bill No. 43 An Act to amend The Credit Union Act.
- Bill No. 44 An Act to amend The Health Unit Act.
- Bill No. 46 An Act to amend The Public Trustee Act.
- Bill No. 124 An Act to Continue in Force Liquor Permits Due to Expire on the Thirty-first day of March, 1957.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Honourable the Administrator doth Assent to these Bills."

Mr. Speaker then said:

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta in Session assembled, approach Your Honour with sentiments of unfeigned Loyalty and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled, An Act for Granting to Her Majesty Certain sums of Money for the Public Service for the Fiscal Years Ending Respectively the Thirty-first day of March, 1956. the Thirty-first Day of March, 1957, and the Thirty-first day of March, 1958."

To this Bill the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

"His Honour the Honourable the Administrator doth thank Her Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, accepts their benevolence and assents to this Bill in Her Majesty's Name."

His Honour the Honourable the Administrator then retired from the Assembly.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, APRIL 1, 1957

Mr. Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read the First time, and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 83 An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act (Hon. Mr. Hooke)
- Bill No. 89 An Act to amend The Mines and Minerals Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)
- Bill No. 99 An Act to amend The Right of Entry Arbitration Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)
- Bill No. 104 An Act to amend The Commorientes Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)
- Bill No. 114 An Act to amend The Constitutional Questions Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)
- Bill No. 116 An Act to amend The Public Service Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)
- Bill No. 117 An Act to continue The Temporary Restriction on Alienation of Mines and Minerals Act in Force for Additional Year (Hon. Mr. Manning)

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Miller on March 14, 1957, respecting the cost of the Mahaffy Royal Commission.

(Sssional Paper No. 77)

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council by Command of His Honour, The Honourable the Lieutenant Governor, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Public Service Commission for the year ended December 31st, 1956.

(Sessional Paper No. 2)

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 96 An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta
- Bill No. 101 An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province
- Bill No. 105 An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act
- Bill No. 109 An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

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- Bill No. 13 An Act to amend The Tax Recovery Act
- Bill No. 34 An Act to amend The Local Tax Arrears Consolidation Act
- Bill No. 35 An Act to repeal the Industries Assessment Act
- Bill No. 41 An Act to amend The County Act
- Bill No. 42 An Act to amend The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 16 An Act to amend The Alberta Land Surveyors Act
- Bill No. 47 An Act to amend The Improvement Districts Act
- Bill No. 62 An Act to amend The University Act

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended, and ordered for Third reading at the next sitting:

- Bill No. 28 An Act to amend The Town and Village Act
- Bill No. 36 An Act to amend The Pipeline Taxation Act
- Bill No. 37 An Act to amend The Alberta Insurance Act
- Bill No. 39 An Act to amend The Amusements Act
- Bill No. 45 An Act to amend The City Act
- Bill No. 48 An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act
- Bill No. 49 An Act to amend The Electric Power Taxation Act
- Bill No. 61 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Registered Dietitians Association

On the following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

- Bill No. 50 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions
- Bill No. 56 An Act to amend The Assessment Act

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Aalborg, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, Annual Report of the Department of Education, 1956. (Sessional Paper No. 14)

Moved by Mr. Gainer, seconded by Mr. Stringam:

That an Order of the Assembly do issue for a Return showing:

Re: Banff Town — 1955-56

- (1) Revenue collected from Entertainment Tax, Theatre, Dance Halls, etc.
- (2) Revenue collected from car license plates and drivers' licenses
- (3) What proportion of Gas Tax has the Town of Banff been receiving as compared with other towns on a per capita basis?
- (4) What is the amount of Educational Grant (operational and municipal—give separate figures), and date of last increase
- (5) Of the revenue paid back to the Province by the Federal Government, of some \$40,500,000, more or less, what portion if any, (and if can be ascertained) is paid back to Banff?
- (6) What was the revenue of the Telephone Office for the year?

The motion was agreed to with certain reservations.

Moved by Mr. MacDonald, seconded by Mr. Ellis:

That the Legislature request the Government to give consideration to the establishment of a permanent independent highway planning commission for the purpose of

- (1) Conducting a survey of present main and secondary highways and district road facilities
- (2) Preparing a satisfactory long term highway and road program for the Province of Alberta
- (3) Inspecting and approving specifications for the construction of highways before commencement of construction
- (4) Checking actual construction to assure that such is up to specifications

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it, the names being called for were taken as follows:

For the motion:

Messieurs Ruzycki

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Sims

Gainer

Against the motion:

Messieurs Taylor

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Colborne

Hartley

Hinman

Manning

Aalborg

Willmore

Patrick

Jorgenson

Reierson

Cross, Dr.

Dixon

Bell

Gilliland

McLaughlin, I.

Wilkinson, Mrs.

Hardy

Baker

Fimrite

Robinson, Mrs. Ross, Dr.

Niddrie

Johnston Sayers

Kovach

Landeryou

Wingblade

Gerhart

Lee

Hillman

Strom

Owens Ruste

Norris

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The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. Dushenski, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki:

Whereas many of the recipients of old age security and old age assistance are forced to pay a disproportionate share of their incomes for inadequate living accommodation, be it

Resolved that this Legislative Assembly request the government to give consideration to the erection of housekeeping units suitable for aged couples and single persons, to be rented at rates commensurate with the income of pensioners.

The debate continued.

Dr. Ross moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Dixon;

That all the words after the word, "Whereas", be struck out and the following substituted:

"the rising costs of living are making it increasingly difficult for our citizens who are wholly dependent on Provincial or Federal-Provincial pensions and assistance,

Therefore be it resolved that this Assembly request the Government to give consideration during the present year to the whole field of Public Welfare with a view to proposing to the next session of this Legislature such improvements in Provincial assistance as may be considered necessary and desirable."

Mr. Dushenski moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m. to Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bill was received, read the First time and ordered to be read the Second time at next sitting:

Bill No. 90 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Act (Hon. Mr. Manning)

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Willmore, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Homestead Lease Loan Act.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

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The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Homestead Lease Loan Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend the Homestead Lease Loan Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Willmore have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Homestead Lease Loan Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Willmore, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

The Hon. Mr. Willmore, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Public Lands Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Willmore have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Public Lands Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Bill for an Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Asembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

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The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and he same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Colborne:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.

The Hon. Mr. Jorgenson, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Jorgenson have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 14 An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta.

The Assembly adjourned at 4:00 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 4, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Dr. Ross, Chairman of the Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, has had under consideration the under-mentioned Bill and begs to report the same.

Bill No. 73 An Act to Incorporate the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, has had under consideration the under-mentioned Bill and begs to report the same with certain amendments.

Bill No. 75 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta.

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, begs to recommend that with respect to the following Bills, the fees be refunded less the cost of printing.

Bill No. 73 An Act to Incorporate the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton.

Bill No. 75—An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta.

The Standing Committee on Private Bills, Standing Orders and Printing, has had under consideration the under-mentioned Bill and recommends that the Bill be not proceeded with.

Bill No. 76 An Act to Incorporate the Horsemen's Jockey Club.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Leave to introduce the same having been granted, the following Bills were severally received, read a First time, and ordered to be read the Second Time at next sitting.

Bill No. 120 An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act. (Hon. Mr. Manning)

Bill No. 125 An Act to amend The Retirement Annuities Act. (Hon. Mr. Hinman)

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. MacDonald on Thursday, March 14, 1957, respecting contracts on the Trans-Canada Highway construction.

(Sessional Paper No. 78).

Moved by Mr. Kovach, seconded by Mr. Hillman:

Whereas millions of tons of steam and domestic coal are imported into Canada every year,

And whereas the coal industry in Canada is not getting a fair share of the Canadian market, resulting in serious unemployment for qualified coal miners,

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Therefore be it resolved that this Legislature urge the Federal Government to take immediate action to assure a larger share of the Canadian market to Canadian producers in order to maintain a higher level of employment for Canadian coal miners.

A debate followed.

Mr. Prowse moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That the motion be amended by deleting all words after the word, "year", where it appears after the first "Whereas", and by substituting therefore the following:

"Therefore be it resolved that this Legislature recommend to the Government of this Province that they institute and adequately support a research program to discover and encourage economic use of our coal resources."

The debate continued.

Mr. Landeryou moved the adjournment of the debate, which was agreed to.

Moved by Mr. Hall, seconded by Mr. MacEwan:

Be it resolved that the Government of the Province of Alberta be requested to give consideration to a vigorous program of collecting and preserving public and historical records and museum materials.

And furthermore be it resolved that the Government of Alberta give consideration to a study of a program for suitable accommodation for a Provincial Museum and Archives.

A debate followed.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 79 An Act to amend The Homestead Lease Loan Act.
- Bill No. 83 An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act.
- Bill No. 89 An Act to amend The Mines and Minerals Act.
- Bill No. 90 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Act.
- Bill No. 99 An Act to amend The Right of Entry Arbitration Act.
- Bill No. 104 An Act to amend The Commorienties Act. It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

Thursday, April 4th, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 114 An Act to amend The Constitutional Questions Act.
- Bill No. 116 An Act to amend The Public Service Act.
- Bill No. 117 An Act to continue The Temporary Restriction on Alienation of Mines and Minerals Act in Force for Additional Year.
- Bill No. 121 An Act to amend The Disabled Persons' Pensions Act.
- Bill No. 122 An Act to amend The Widows' Pensions Act.
- Bill No. 123 An Act to amend The Mothers' Allowance Act.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to provide for the Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act

to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Willmore:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Halmrast:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Districts Act.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Districts Act, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act to amend The Municipal Districts Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Municipal Districts Act".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Taylor:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licenses in Respect Thereof.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour, the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licenses in Respect Thereof, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for An Act respecting Mobile Homes and to provide Licenses in Respect Thereof.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licenses in Respect Thereof".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hinman, seconded by the Hon. Mr. Hartley:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units.

The Hon. Mr. Hinman, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable

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the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hinman have leave to introduce a Bill intituled, "An Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting:

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Hooke, seconded by Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts.

The Hon. Mr. Hooke, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Hooke have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts".

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

Moved by the Hon. Mr. Taylor, seconded by Hon. Mr. Aalborg:

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that the Assembly resolve itself into Committee of the Whole to consider a Resolution for a Bill for an Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act.

The Hon. Mr. Taylor, a Member of the Executive Council, then stated to the Assembly, that His Honour the Honourable the Administrator, having been informed of the subject matter of the motion, recommends it to the consideration of the Assembly.

The motion was agreed to.

The Assembly, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on a Resolution for a Bill for An Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act, and after some time spent therein, Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Dixon reported that the Committee had come to a Resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That it is expedient to introduce a Bill for an Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act.

Ordered, That the Resolution be now read a Second time.

The Resolution was accordingly read a Second time and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Hon. Mr. Taylor have leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act."

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a First time, and

Ordered, That the Bill be read a Second time at next sitting.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

Bill No. 51 An Act to amend The Frozen Food Locker Act.

Bill No. 52 An Act to amend The Marketing of Agricultural Products Act.

- Bill No. 53 An Act to amend The Public Welfare Act.
- Bill No. 57 An Act to amend The Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act.
- Bill No. 58 An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditure Loans Act.
- Bill No. 59 An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers.
- Bill No. 60 An Act to amend The Public Service Vehicles Act.

The following bill was reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 50 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions.

On the following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

- Bill No. 14 An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta.
- Bill No. 56 An Act to amend The Assessment Act.

The Assembly adjourned at 10:30 p.m. to Friday at 2:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock

The Honourable Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Gainer on March 27, 1957, respecting miscellaneous revenues for the town of Banff.

(Sessional Paper No. 79)

According to Order the following Bills were read a Second time and referred to the Committee of the Whole Assembly:

- Bill No. 81 An Act to amnd The Municipal District Act.
- Bill No. 93 An Act to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment.
- Bill No. 98 An Act Respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licenses in Respect Thereof.
- Bill No. 110 An Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act.
- Bill No. 113 An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.
- Bill No. 115 An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts.

- Bill No. 118 An Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act.
- Bill No. 119 An Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units.
- Bill No. 120 An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act.
- Bill No. 125 An Act to amend The Retirement Annuities Act.

According to Order the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 65 An Act to Ratify and Confirm a Certain Agreement for the Amendment of an Agreement Between the Government of the Province of Alberta and the Government of the Dominion of Canada Providing for the Conservation of the Forests on the East Slope of the Rocky Mountains and the Protection of the Watersheds and the Rivers Therein.
- Bill No. 66 An Act to amend The Drainage Districts Act.
- Bill No. 69 An Act to amend The Municipal Assistance Act.
- Bill No. 70 An Act to amend The Department of Lands and Forests Act.
- Bill No. 72 An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act.
- Bill No. 78 An Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League.
- Bill No. 79 An Act to amend The Homestead Lease Loan Act.
- Bill No. 80 An Act to amend The Education of Service Men's Children Act.
- Bill No. 82 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Appeal Board and to Prescribe its Duties and Functions.
- Bill No. 85 An Act to amend The Hospitals Act.
- Bill No. 86 An Act to Provide a Revolving Fund to Facilitate the Construction of and to Assist in Modernization of Rural Telephone Systems.
- Bill No. 87 An Act to Provide for The Licensing of Seismograph Recording and Drilling Equipment.
- Bill No. 88 An Act to amend The Real Estate Agents' Licensing Act.

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Bill No. 92 An Act to amend The School Act.

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended, and ordered for Third reading at the next sitting:

- Bill No. 64 An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act.
- Bill No. 68 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, 1955 (1)
- Bill No. 71 An Act to amend The School Buildings Assistance Act.
- Bill No. 84 An Act to amend The Students Assistance Act.
- Bill No. 91 An Act to amend The Alberta Pharmaceutical Association Act
- Bill No. 94 An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act.

On the following Bills progress was reported, and the Committee given leave to sit again:

- Bill No. 90 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Act.
- Bill No. 95 An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province.

The Assembly adjourned at 5:30 p.m to Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

MONDAY, APRIL 8, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 16 An Act to amend The Alberta Land Surveyors Act
- Bill No. 36 An Act to amend The Pipeline Taxation Act
- Bill No. 37 An Act to amend The Alberta Insurance Act
- Bill No. 39 An Act to amend The Amusements Act
- Bill No. 45 An Act to amend The City Act
- Bill No. 47 An Act to amend The Improvement Districts Act
- Bill No. 48 An Act to amend The Fuel Oil Tax Act
- Bill No. 49 An Act to amend The Electric Power Taxaation Act
- Bill No. 50 An Act to Establish The Alberta Assessment Equalization Board and to Provide for its Duties and Functions

- Bill No. 51 An Act to amend The Frozen Food Locker Act
- Bill No. 53 An Act to amend The Public Welfare Act
- Bill No. 57 An Act to amend The Licensing of Trades and Businesses Act
- Bill No. 58 An Act to amend The Municipal Capital Expenditures Loans Act ing of Seed Dealers
- Bill No. 59 An Act respecting the Regulation and Licens-
- Bill No. 60 An Act to amend The Public Service Vehicles Act
- Bill No. 64 An Act to amend The Treasury Department Act
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- Bill No. 72 An Act to amend The Bow River Development Act
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- Bill No. 91 An Act to amend The Alberta Pharmaceutical Association Act
- Bill No. 92 An Act to amend The School Act
- Bill No. 94 An Act to amend The Temporary Provincial Employees Retirement Act
- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Brethren Churches
- Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of the Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the Site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta
- Bill No. 78 An Act Regulating in Alberta the Holding of Real Property by the Alberta Provincial Command of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 28, An Act to amend The Town and Village Act, and Bill No. 52, An Act to amend The Marketing of Agricultural Products Act,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged and that the Bills be recommitted to the Committee of the Whole Assembly.

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 6 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate the Merchants and Traders Assurance Company
- Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary
- Bill No. 83 An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act
- Bill No. 93 An Act to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment
- Bill No. 98 An Act Respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licenses in Respect Thereof
- Bill No. 109 An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

- Bill No. 11 An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations
- Bill No. 14 An Act to Provide for the Conservation of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province of Alberta

- Bill No. 56 An Act to amend The Assessment Act
- Bill No. 73 An Act to Incorporate the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Edmonton
- Bill No. 81 An Act to amend The Municipal District Act

It being 5:30 o'clock Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Monday, April 8th, 1957. 8 o'clock p.m.

According to order the Assembly again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at next sitting:

- Bill No. 110 An Act to amend The Town and Rural Planning Act
- Bill No. 115 An Act to Enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts
- Bill No. 74 An Act to Incorporate La Corporation Des Soeurs De Sainte-Croix Et Des Sept Douleurs. (The Corporation of The Sisters of the Holy Cross and of The Seven Sorrows.)
- Bill No. 96 An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of the Province
- Bill No. 97 An Act to amend The Highways Department Act
- Bill No. 100 An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act.

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

- Bill No. 75 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity (Grey Nuns) of Alberta
- Bill No. 89 An Act to amend The Mines and Minerals
- Bill No. 29 An Act respecting Investment Contracts
- Bill No. 90 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Act
- Bill No. 99 An Act to amend The Right of Entry Arbitration Act

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

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Bill No. 101 An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province

The Assembly adjourned at 11:10 p.m. to Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock.

TUESDAY, APRIL 9, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. Prowse asked the Government the following questions of which he had given notice and which were answered by the Hon. Mr. Hinman:

- 1. Q. What provision has the government already made for providing pensions for cabinet ministers?
 - A. Provision is made for payment of pensions to cabinet ministers under The Public Service Pension Act, being Chapter 7 of the Statutes of Alberta, 1947, as amended by Chapter 87 of 1954.
- 2. Q. What present ministers will be qualified for pensions by December 31, 1959?
 - A. Present ministers who will be qualified for pensions by December 31, 1959 are:

Hon. E. C. Manning Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross

- 3. Q. What will be the annual amount of pensions payable to each of the persons referred to in question No. 2?
 - A. Approximate annual amount of Normal Pension payable to each minister by December 31, 1959:

Hon. E. C. Manning — \$3,739.84 Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross — \$5,579.43

- 4. Q. What former ministers of the government presently receive pension payments, and what is the amount of the pension payable annually to each one of them?
 - A. Former ministers of the Government presently receiving pension, and the amount of pension payable annually to each:

Lucien Maynard — \$1,851.35 C. E. Gerhart — \$1,458.67

By unanimous consent of the Assembly, Rule No. 13(5) of the Rules and Orders and Forms of Proceedings of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta was suspended to permit study of Government Bills.

According to Order, the following Bill was read a Third time and passed:

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Bill No. 68 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act, 1955(1)

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 115, An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts,

Ordered, That the Order be discharged and that the Bill be recommitted to the Committee of the Whole Assembly.

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 104 An Act to amend The Commorientes Act.

Bill No. 105 An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act.

Bill No. 108 An Act to amend The Municipal Hospitals Act.

Bill No. 111 An Act to amend The Public Highways Act.

Bill No. 112 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate Medical Service (Alberta) Incorporated.

Bill No. 114 An Act to amend The Constitutional Questions Act.

Bill No. 116 An Act to amend The Public Service Act.

Bill No. 117 AnAct to continue The Temporary Restriction on Alienation of Mines and Minerals Act in Force for Additional Year.

The following Bills were reported with amendments considered as amended, and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 103 An Act to amend The Alberta Labour Act.

Bill No. 115 An Act to enable Municipalities to Borrow from the Alberta Municipal Financing Corporation for and on Behalf of Municipal Hospital Districts.

Bill No. 119 An Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units.

On the following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 113 An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

Bill No. 118 An Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act.

It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Tuesday, April 9th, 1957. 8 o'clock p.m. According to order the Assembly again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

On the following Bill progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 63 An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Order of Business:

GOVERNMENT MOTIONS

Moved by Hon. Mr. Manning, seconded by Hon. Dr. Cross:

That Rule 5 of the Rules of the Assembly be suspended to enable the Assembly to meet each Wednesday at 8 o'clock p.m. for the duration of the current Session.

' The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the motion carried.

The Assembly adjourned at 11:25 p.m. to Wednesday at 2:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Member for Edmonton, Mr. Prowse, rose on Orders of the Day and asked leave to propose the following motion:

That the Assembly adjourn to discuss a matter of urgent public importance, namely:

To discuss the distribution of shares of Alberta Gas Trunk Line.

Mr. Speaker put the question to the Assembly and declared that leave was not granted and a division was called with the following result:

For leave to move the motion:

Messieurs: Maccagno

MacEwan Prowse Tanner Miller

McLaughlin, J. H.

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Against leave to move the motion:

Messieurs: Taylor

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Messieurs: Colborne

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Mr. Speaker therefore declared that leave was not granted.

The Hon. Mr. Manning, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Prowse on March 19, 1957, respecting correspondence and Orders in Council since 1927 providing for commissions payable to persons or corporations for the collection of the Provincial Government's tax on pari-mutuel betting on horse races.

(Sessional Paper No. 80)

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The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. Dushenski, seconded by Mr. Ruzycki:

Whereas many of the recipients of old age security and old age assistance are forced to pay a disportionate share of their incomes for inadequate living accommodation, be it

Resolved that this Legislative Assembly request the government to give consideration to the erection of housekeeping units suitable for aged couples and single persons, to be rented at rates commensurate with the income of pensioners.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Dr. Ross, seconded by Mr. Dixon:

That all the words after the word, "Whereas", be struck out and the following substituted:

"the rising costs of living are making it increasingly difficult for our citizens who are wholly dependent on Federal-Provincial pensions and assistance.

Therefore be it resolved that this Assembly request the Government to give consideration during the present year to the whole field of Public Welfare with a view to proposing to the next session of this Legislature such improvements in Provincial assistance as may be considered necessary and desirable."

The Hon. Mr. Manning made the following statement with respect to the motion:

The Government concurs in the motion as amended and it is the government's intention to carry out the study proposed.

Moved by Mr. J. H. McLaughlin, seconded by Mr. Whitson:

Whereas the ever increasing costs involved in school construction are largely beyond the control of local school boards

And whereas the provisions of the Architect's Act requiring the services of a registered architect for all schools of three rooms or more, or having an auditorium or gymnasium add a cost factor which might be reduced or eliminated

Therefore be it resolved that the Government of Alberta give consideration to making available to school boards a number of approved and standard plans for school buildings.

And further that the Government give serious consideration to the introduction of legislation which will enable school boards to adopt a standard plan approved by the Department of Education with or without the services of a registered architect.

The Hon. Mr. Manning made the following statement with respect to the motion:

The Government concurs with this resolution.

Moved by Mr. MacEwan, seconded by Mr. Hall:

Whereas the study of Northern Development mentioned in the Speech from the Throne should not be delayed, and

Whereas a statement from the Government indicated that specific plans have not been made and may not be made during the present session of the Legislature

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Be it resolved that this Legislature urge the Government to consider the immediate appointment of a commission or committee to conduct appropriate investigations and report to the Legislature in 1958.

The Hon. Mr. Manning made the following statement with respect to the motion:

The Government already has announced its intention to set up a Northern Development Commission and will carry out its commitment as quickly as it is feasible.

Moved by Mr. Macyk, seconded by Mr. Whitson:

Be it resolved that the Government of Alberta give consideration to extending the powers and responsibilities of the Right of Entry Arbitration Board to enable it to deal with problems arising out of the compensation of the owners of land which is crossed by pipelines and power lines.

The Hon. Mr. Manning made the following statement with respect to the motion:

The Government does not believe that it would be in the public interest to substitute the Right of Entry Arbitration Board for the present procedure of referring disputed cases to a Board of Arbitration set up to consider that particular case.

The Order of the Day being read for the continued debate on the following motion:

Moved by Mr. Kovach, seconded by Mr. Hillman:

Whereas millions of tons of steam and domestic coal are imported into Canada every year,

And whereas the coal industry in Canada is not getting a fair share of the Canadian market, resulting in serious unemployment for qualified coal miners.

Therefore be it resolved that this Legislature urge the Federal Government to take immediate action to assure a larger share of the Canadian market to Canadian producers in order to maintain a higher level of employment for Canadian coal miners.

To which the following amendment has been proposed:

Moved by Mr. Prowse, seconded by Mr. MacDonald:

That the motion be amended by deleting all words after the word "year", where it appears after the first "Whereas", and by substituting therefore the following:

"Therefore be it resolved that this Legislature recommend to the Government of this Province that they institute and adequately support a research program to discover and encourage economic use of our coal resources."

The Hon. Mr. Manning made the following statement with respect to the motion:

The Government concurs with the original motion. The matter of research already is included in the program of Provincial and National Research Councils.

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It being 5:30 o'clock, Mr. Speaker entered the Assembly and left the Chair.

Wednesday, April 10, 1957. 8:00 o'clock p.m.

According to Order, the Assembly again resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

According to Order the following Bills were reported and ordered for Third reading at next sitting.

Bill No. 107 An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2).

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended and ordered for Third reading at next sitting:

Bill No. 28 An Act to amend The Town and Village Act.

Bill No. 106 An Act to amend The Election Act.

Bill No. 52 An Act to amend The Marketing of Agricultural Products.

Bill No. 101 An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province.

Bill No. 95 An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province.

Bill No. 113 An Act to amend The Public Lands Act.

On the following Bills progress was reported and the Committee given leave to sit again:

Bill No. 63 An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act.

The Assembly adjourned at 11:30 p.m. to Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

THURSDAY, APRIL 11, 1957

The Speaker took the Chair at 2:30 o'clock.

The Hon. Mr. Hartley, a Member of the Executive Council, laid on the table of the Assembly, a Return to an Order of the Assembly asked for by Mr. Soetaert on March 14, 1957, respecting the Provincial Auditoriums. (Sessional Paper No. 81)

According to Order, the Assembly resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the following Bills:

The following Bills were reported and ordered to be read a Third time at this sitting:

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- Bill No. 125 An Act to amend The Retirement Annuities Act

The following Bills were reported with amendments, considered as amended, and ordered for Third reading at this sitting:

- Bill No. 63 An Act to amend The Liquor Control Act
- Bill No. 77 An Act to Incorporate Annuity Trust Company Limited
- Bill No. 118 An Act to amend The Vehicles and Highway Traffic Act
- Bill No. 120 An Act to amend The Mineral Taxation Act

According to Order the following Bills were read a Third time and passed:

- Bill No. 6 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate the Merchants and Traders Assurance Company
- Bill No. 10 An Act to Incorporate the Sisters of Charity of St. Louis of Calgary
- Bill No. 11 An Act to Provide for the Central Filing and Publication of Regulations
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- Bill No. 81 An Act to amend The Municipal District Act
- Bill No. 83 An Act to amend The Public Utilities Act
- Bill No. 89 An Act to amend The Mines and Minerals Act
- Bill No. 90 An Act to amend The Pipe Line Act
- Bill No. 93 An Act to provide for The Licensing of Certain Mobile Construction Equipment

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 95, An Act to Enable Citizens of Alberta to Participate Directly in the Benefits Accruing from the Development of the Oil and Gas Resources of the Province,

The Hon. Mr. Hinman moved that the Bill be now read a Third time.

Mr. Prowse, moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Miller,

That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" be added to the end of the motion.

The motion being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

Messieurs Dushenski Ruzycki Maccagno MacEwan · Prowse Tanner Miller Smith Hall McLaughlin, J. H. Macvk Whitson Ellis Stringam MacDonald Soetaert Sims Gainer

Against the amendment:

Messieurs Taylor Halmrast Colborne Hartley Hooke Hinman Manning Aalborg Willmore Patrick Jorgenson Reierson Cross. Dr. Dixon Rell Gilliland McLaughlin, I. Wilkinson, Mrs. Hardy **Baker** Fimrite Robinson, Mrs. Ross, Dr. Niddrie Johnston Sayers Kovach Landeryou Gerhart Lee Hillman Strom Owens Ruste

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The amendment was therefore declared lost.

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The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time and passed.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed.

Bill No. 96 An Act to Authorize the Execution on Behalf of the Province of a Tax Agreement Between the Government of Canada and the Government of Alberta.

Bill No. 97 An Act to amend The Highways Department Act

Bill No. 98 An Act Respecting Mobile Homes and to Provide Licences in Respect Thereof

Bill No. 99 An Act to amend The Right of Entry Arbitration Act

Bill No. 100 An Act to amend The Motor Vehicle Accident Indemnity Act

Bill No. 101 An Act to Enable the Government of Alberta to Establish a Hospitalization Benefits Plan for the Province

Bill No 103 An Act to amend The Alberta Labour Act

Bill No. 104 An Act to amend The Commorientes Act

Bill No. 105 An Act to amend The Provincial Loans Act

The Order of the Day being read for the Third reading of Bill No. 106, An Act to amend The Election Act,

Mr. Colborne moved that the Bill be now read a Third time.

Mr. McDonald moved as an amendment, seconded by Mr. Soetaert,

That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" be added to the end of the motion.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

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Messieurs Cross, Dr.

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Ross, Dr. Niddrie

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The amendment was therefore declared lost.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time and passed.

The Order of the Day being read for The Third reading of Bill No. 107. An Act to amend The Legislative Assembly Act (2).

The Hon. Mr. Colborne moved that the Bill be now read a Third time.

Mr. Miller moved an an amendment, seconded by Mr. Prowse,

That the word "now" be left out, and the words "this day six months" be added to the end of the motion.

The amendment being proposed, Mr. Speaker declared the "Noes" have it. The names being called for were taken as follows:

For the amendment:

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The amendment was therefore declared lost.

The said Bill was accordingly read a Third time and passed.

According to Order, the following Bills were read a Third time and passed.

Bill No. 63 An Act to amend The Liquor Act

Bill No. 108 An Act to amend The Municipal Hospitals Act

Bill No. 109 An Act to impose a Tax on Insurance Companies

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- Bill No. 119 An Act to Provide a Means of Assisting Farmers to Purchase and Acquire Economic Farm Units.

His Honour the Honourable the Administrator having entered the Assembly and being seated on the Throne:

Mr. Speaker addressed His Honour in the following words:

"MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR:

"The Legislative Assembly of the Province has at its present Sitting thereof passed a number of Bills to which, in the name and on behalf of the said Legislative Assembly, I respectfully request Your Honor's Assent".

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles to the Bills to be assented to as follows:

The following are the titles of the Bills to which Your Honour's Assent is prayed:

- Bill No. 2 An Act to Incorporate The Alberta Conference of Mennonite Bretheren Churches.
- Bill No. 6 An Act to amend An Act to Incorporate the Merchants and Traders Assurance Company.
- Bill No. 7 An Act to Exempt from Taxation the Real and Personal Property of The Mennonite Conference of Alberta used by it for the site of a Home for the Aged and Infirm at Coaldale, Alberta.
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- Bill No. 59 An Act respecting the Regulation and Licensing of Seed Dealers.
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- Bill No. 125 An Act to amend The Retirement Annuities Act.

To these Bills the Royal Assent was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly as follows:

"In Her Majesty's name, His Honour the Honourable the Administrator doth assent to these Bills."

Ordered, That the Assembly revert to Orders of the Day.

The Minister of Public Works, the Hon. J. Hartley, presented the Premier, Hon. E. C. Manning, with a golden key of the Jubilee Auditorium. The Premier accepted the key on behalf of the people of Alberta and duly expressed his thanks, and the Leader of the Opposition, Mr. Prowse, commented appropriately on this occasion.

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His Honour the Honourable the Administrator was then pleased to deliver the following speech:

Mr. Speaker:

and Members of the Legislative Assembly of Alberta:

In bringing to a close this the Third Session of the Thirteenth Legislative Assembly, I desire to express my appreciation of the earnestness and thoroughness with which you have applied yourselves to your public duties.

A number of important measures have come before you for your decision. I have noted with much satisfaction the careful attention you have given to all of these, keeping steadfastly in mind the promotion of the welfare of our province.

I thank you for the provision you have made to meet the needs of the Public Service. The sums of money you have thus provided will be expended by my Ministers in accordance with the priciples of efficient and economic administration.

In relieving you from your duties and declaring the Assembly prorogued, I pray that under Divine Providence our province will continue to advance to the attainment of the fullest measure of prosperity and happiness for all the people.

The Provincial Secretary then said:

"It is His Honour the Honourable the Administrator's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be now prorogued and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued."

His Honour the Honourable the Administrator then retired from the Assembly.

The Assembly prorogued at 5:03 p.m.

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